

Teutonic Allies Are Closing In On Rumania; French Thrust Scores Big Victory At Verdun

GERMANS HOLD RAILROAD LINE

London, Oct. 25.—The process of closing in on Rumania from both sides is being continued by the armies of the Central Powers. Tchernavoda on the Danube and Vulcan Pass on the Transylvanian border have been captured. The loss of Tchernavoda by the Russo-Rumanian forces to Field Marshal Von Mackensen's victorious armies is conceded by Petrograd which announced the evacuation of this important town, from which stretches the only bridge across the Danube from Dobrudja, carrying the railroad line running into interior Rumania. Important entente forces evidently remain on the Dobrudja side of the Danube, as Petrograd mentions the continued retreat of Russo-Rumanian troops northward along the Black Sea coast.

Berlin comments that the loss of Tchernavoda deprives them of their last railroad communication.

The Austro-German successes on the north likewise is important as opening another route into Rumania from Transylvania for General Von Falkenhayn's forces. This pass penetrates the Transylvanian Alps half way between the Iron Gate of the Danube and Rotherthurn Pass below Hermannstadt.

Petrograd announces a success for the Russians near Dorna Watra, close to the junction of the frontiers of Bukovina-Hungary and Rumania where the Austro-German forces have been driven from a series of heights.

Entente Abandons Important Position

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—(Via London)—The Rumanians and Russians have evacuated the Danube town of Tchernavoda, in Dobrudja, the war office announced today. The statement says Field Marshal Von Mackensen's army is continuing its attack all along the Dobrudja front. The Russo-Rumanian position at Lake Tschau, near the Black Sea coast, about twelve miles north of Constantza, also has been evacuated.

South of Dorna Watra near the frontier junction of Bukovina, Transylvania and Rumania the Russians dislodged the Austro-German forces from a series of heights, the official announcement reports, taking some prisoners and two machine guns.

Germans Capture Railroad Terminus

Berlin, Oct. 25.—Vulcan Pass on the Transylvanian front has been captured by General Von Falkenhayn's army, the war office announced today.

In Dobrudja pursuit of the Russians and Rumanians continues. Tchernavoda was captured this morning, depriving the Russians and Rumanians of the last railroad communication in Dobrudja.

With Tchernavoda in their hands the Germans and their allies in Dobrudja now have possession of the entire railroad between the Black Sea and the Danube. At Tchernavoda the Danube is spanned by a railroad bridge which would offer the Teutonic Allies the best means of in-

vading Old Rumania and striking at Bucharest, provided the Rumanians were unable to destroy it before the evacuation.

Vulcan Pass is one of the important passages through the Transylvanian sector between Hungary and Russia and it is midway between the Iron Gate of the Danube and Rotherthurn Pass south of Hermannstadt.

Rumanians Are Forced To Retreat

Bucharest, Oct. 25.—(Via London)—A further retirement by Rumanian forces on the Transylvanian front is announced by the war office. The Rumanians near Predeal and Kimpolung, the statement says, were forced to fall back a little.

Tchernavoda Abandoned

Bucharest, Oct. 25.—(Via London)—Rumanian forces operating in the Black Sea province of Dobrudja have retired to the north of the Danube town of Tchernavoda, according to the Rumanian official statement today.

RESIDENTS ORDERED TO LEAVE

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 25.—General Jacinto Trevino, commandant of the Chihuahua garrison has issued warning to residents to leave the city, according to a report that reached army headquarters today from General George Bell, at El Paso. General Bell said Mrs. Trevino was among the many refugees who have arrived at El Paso from Chihuahua.

6 KILLED

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 25.—Six persons were killed today when an interurban car of the Southern Michigan Railway Company struck an automobile, north of South Bend. Only one body has been identified, that of Franklin Brown, of Linwood, Indiana. The dead include, beside Brown, three women and two children.

SUBMARINES ATTACK NORWEGIAN SHIPS

RUSSIAN CASUALTIES

Berlin, Oct. 25.—(By wireless to Sayville)—There have been 1,797,522 casualties in the Russian army since June 1, according to the latest reports made public by the Central Identification office at Kiev, says an Overseas News Agency statement today. "Included in this number," continues the statement, "are 85,981 officers. Among officers who have recently fallen are two generals, six colonels in command of brigades, and eight colonels, and lieutenant-colonels in command of regiments. The largest number of casualties was among the Serbian corps and the Caucasian states.

DANCING POPULAR IN CHICAGO SCHOOLS

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Dancing is the most popular form of entertainment at the social centers of the Chicago public school system, according to a report made public today by the board of education. Statistics for the last year show that the attendance at the dancing classes was 115,044. The gymnasium classes are next with a total of 69,449.

PRESIDENT IN CINCY TOMORROW

Long Branch, Oct. 25.—President Wilson's program today included his departure from Shadow Lawn at noon for Cincinnati, where he will speak three times tomorrow. Mrs. Wilson, Secretary Tamm and Dr. C. T. Grayson, the White House physician, arranged to accompany him. He is due to reach Cincinnati at 11:30 a. m. tomorrow.

FORD GRANTS WOMEN EMPLOYES SAME WAGE SCALE AS THE MEN

New York, Oct. 25.—Henry Ford, the manufacturer and publicist, who conferred with President Wilson at Shadow Lawn yesterday afternoon authorized this statement after leaving the president: "I had the pleasure to inform President Wilson that I had established the woman workers of my plant at Detroit, and in the branch factories in other cities on a pay equality with the men workers. I took this step following my conference with the president more than two weeks ago and I did so because of the inspiring talk I had with Mr. Wilson on the forward movement among womanhood. This principle is now in operation and I look forward with complete confidence to its vindication."

Mr. Ford pointed out that the eight hour work day already had been established in his factories for both men and women workers. He said that fifteen hundred women are now employed by him for the lighter forms of factory labor in his Detroit plant. These women since October 10 have been receiving the minimum wage

CANDIDATES ARE ACTIVE

Columbus, O., Oct. 25.—Former Governor James M. Cox continued his tour of Franklin county villages today. He speaks tonight with Senator Pomeroy at a rally in Columbus. Frank Walsh, of Kansas City, was in Logan and Murray City today speaking for the re-election of President Wilson. Governor Willis toured the fifth district by automobile today and speaks tonight at a big Republican rally at Van Wert. Myron T. Herrick was in Preble county Wednesday. William A. Frendersgast speaks at Cleveland tonight and H. P. Gardner, former Progressive candidate for governor of Maine, speaks at Lima tonight.

OPEN BIDS ON WARSHIPS

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—When bids for four new battleships and twenty destroyers—the largest single order ever placed by the navy—were opened today it was disclosed that the government faces the soaring prices of structural materials in perfecting the navy building program. Although the department had allowed \$3,000,000 more for each battleship than it did last year and placed a limit of \$11,500,000 for hull and machinery alone the bidding ran with a close margin. All bids of the Fore River Ship Building Company controlled by the Bethlehem Steel Company were submitted with the express stipulation that they were based on current prices for material and labor.

of \$5 a day which created such a sensation in industrial quarters when Mr. Ford established it for his men employees several months ago.

London, Oct. 25.—The sinking by German submarines of five more Norwegian steamships valued at about 5,000,000 kroner, is reported in an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Christiania.

Shipping shares dropped considerably on the Christiania exchange today. The steamers Rising and the schooner Theodore, together with the Swedish schooners Antoinette and Henriette, are among the latest submarine victims, adds the despatch.

The Tidens Tegn of Christiania states that one boat with six men from the Norwegian steamer Ravn reported sunk by a German submarine in the Arctic on October 2, has been lost, while another boat with eleven men on board reached a lonely part of the Russian Murman coast, after drifting 13 hours.

News agency reports from Copenhagen through London last night reported that sensational rumors were current regarding the relations between Norway and Germany. German submarines were declared to be waging a persistent war on Norwegian shipping and one account stated that five German submarines had established a regular blockade of the Norwegian coast.

London, Oct. 25.—Lloyd's shipping agency announced that the British steamers Cluden, 3,160 tons; the W. Harkness, 1,165 tons, and the Norwegian steamer Rensfjell have been sunk.

London, Oct. 25.—The steamer Framfield 2,510 tons, has been sunk, Lloyd's shipping agency announces.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—Lloyd's reports as forwarded to the senate department from London, records the destruction by German submarines of the Swedish steamers Svartik and Wilhelm, and the British steamer Ethel Duncan.

STRIKE IS CALLED OFF

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 25.—An agreement between Canadian Pacific railway officers and their employees for the settlement of the threatened strike has been reached and will be signed some time today, according to a telegram from Winnipeg by Minister of Labor Crothers.

RELIEF PROMISED
Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—Representations to Great Britain in behalf of American tobacco shippers who have \$1,500,000 worth of leaf, consigned to the Scandinavian countries and Germany, tied up by British restrictions at Copenhagen, have resulted in action by the British government, which is expected to result in some relief.

WHEAT MAKES NEW RECORD

Chicago, Oct. 25.—After nearly four months of rising prices based on a world shortage due to the European war and to extraordinary crop damage in Argentina, Canada and the United States the wheat market today capped the climax, with a jump of about seven cents a bushel. Foreigners, however, retailed by a swing to the selling side, and the greater part of today's gains vanished. The market closed with December at \$1.80 to \$1.80½ and May at \$1.80 1-8 to \$1.80½.

New York, Oct. 25.—A sensational break in the cotton market today carried prices down to 450 a bale after an early advance to about the 20 cent level.

MARINES SLAIN IN BATTLE

Santo Domingo, Oct. 25.—In an engagement between American troops and rebel followers yesterday General Ramon Batista was killed. Several Americans also are reported killed, including two officers and one American officer was wounded.

The names of the American officers killed are given as Captain William Lowe and Atwood, Lieutenant Morrison was wounded.

The American commander attempted to arrest General Batista, who resisted and ordered an attack on the American forces. Fighting continued for a considerable time but the rebels were eventually defeated.

The engagement took place on the eastern bank of the river. Lieutenant Victor I. Morrison is listed as attached to the First Brigade of Marines.

A revolt occurred in the Dominican army several weeks ago but American marines and blue-jackets soon had control of the situation. They were reinforced with American troops from Port Au Prince, Haiti.

The available naval lists make no mention of Captain Atwood, who is reported as having been killed. Captain Lowe was attached to the First Brigade of Marines, stationed recently at Port Au Prince.

ASK FOR INCREASE

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 25.—Teachers in the Pittsburgh Public Schools, from the kindergarten to the high school departments, have asked the Board of Education of the city for an increase in salary from \$50 to \$100 a year. William M. Davidson, superintendent of schools, estimates the advance, if granted, will amount to \$309,776. The high cost of living is given as the reason for the request.

KAISER'S FORCES SWEEP BACK SEVERAL MILES

Paris, Oct. 25.—Verdun, long lost sight of, sprang suddenly and unexpectedly today into the forefront of the public mind which exclusively had been directed towards the battle on the Somme front. The German front on the right bank of the Meuse literally was swept away for a distance of four and a half miles like straw before the wind.

General Nivelle for weeks past had been watching the German movements like a lynx, carefully calculating the effect of every withdrawal of troops for transfer to the Somme and eastern fronts. At the same time he quietly made his preparations and when he judged the Germans had thinned their defenses to the danger point, he struck like lightning. The result was one of the most brilliant operations of the campaign.

The Germans who yesterday were pressing close upon the inner line of defenses at Forts Souville and Tavannes have now been driven beyond the outer defenses of the Fort Douaumont-Vaux line. Vaux fort remains in possession of the Germans but the French line extends beyond it on the north at Vaux village and Cumin Wood and also on the south of it at Damloup battery and Chenois Wood from both of which positions it can readily be attacked.

The French artillery preparation was brief but intense and was over before the German commanders had time to bring up reinforcements even if they were available. The assaulting French waves caught them before the Germans recovered from the surprise and swept over French trench sending prisoners in all lines to the rear.

French losses were very light, it is believed even lighter than any record in the attacks on the Somme front.

News of the success has caused tremendous public enthusiasm here and this is all the greater because of the general impression that Verdun was over and done with and that both sides were contenting themselves with holding what they had won. Today's operation, proving that the French could strike a smashing blow at Verdun while carrying on an extended offensive on the Somme has greatly increased public confidence and gone far to lessen the depression caused by the loss of Constantza.

French Retain Captured Ground
London, Oct. 25.—The French have maintained the important ground they won yesterday in their coup north of Verdun, the war office announced today.

Last night parts of the regained territory which includes Fort Douaumont with stretches along a front of more than four miles at points nearly two miles inside the former German lines, were subjected to a German counter attack. The French held their ground, however, according to Paris, repulsing the German assaults which were delivered in efforts to recapture the Haudeumont quarries, west of Douaumont and the Damloup battery south-east of Vaux. The commander at Fort Douaumont is among the

prisoners taken by the French, which a preliminary report placed at 3,500 men. Fort Vaux still is in German hands but the French lines run beyond it on both sides.

Reporting on the French advance at Verdun, Berlin says the attack gained ground as far as Fort Douaumont, which was in flames and that the fighting was continuing.

Today's French official report announces an important military move in the Balkans where Italian cavalry from southern Albania has forced a junction with cavalry and artillery from the entente front in Macedonia.

This gives the entente an unbroken front of 250 miles across the southern Balkan peninsula from Avlona, Albania, on the Adriatic to the mouth of the Struma river east of Saloniki on the Aegean coast.

Paris, Oct. 25.—The Germans made a counter attack north of Verdun last night in an effort to regain ground won by the French in yesterday's assault. They attempted to recapture the Haudeumont quarries and the Damloup battery. The war office announces that in both cases they were repulsed.

French Attack A Big Surprise
Paris, Oct. 25.—The French attack at Verdun apparently took the Germans completely by surprise and not at one point did they succeed in stopping the impetuous rush. In three hours the French recaptured ground, to gain which required months of patient effort by the Germans, including such positions as Douaumont Fort and Thiaumont works which in the past were won and lost repeatedly.

The official French account of the battle, every word of which was weighed carefully, does not say the German line was forced back, but that it was "burst."

Later details of the French victory show that its extent was as much of a surprise to the French as it must have been to the Germans.

General Petain regarded the front east of the Meuse as too cramped, and suggested to Gen. (Continued On Page Eight)

Billy Butt In Times Weather Man



Lucky is the weather man who knows his own limitations and that's me. If it wasn't me I'd probably be swelled up over the 'braggin' that's been goin' on over my weather, the past few days, and flew into the face of fate and tried to stop this little cold snap. But as I said before I know my limits so I'll just predict a bit more of the same dope for tomorrow.

Ohio—Rain tonight. Thursday partly cloudy and somewhat colder.

Kentucky—Colder and fair tonight, preceded by rain in east portion. Thursday fair and colder in central and eastern portion. West Virginia—Local rains tonight. Thursday partly cloudy and somewhat colder.

GERMANS MAKE 500 AIR RAIDS IN ONE DAY

Berlin, Oct. 25.—(By wireless to Sayville)—German aeroplanes on the Somme front made more than five hundred raids on the Anglo-French positions October 22, says the Overseas News Agency. There were 209 aerial fights between German airmen and entente allied fliers on this day and according to the news agency it is stated with certainty that in the Somme sector alone more than sixteen entente aeroplanes were shot down. In addition a number of hostile aeroplanes were forced to land behind the An-

glo-French lines. The weather on the day mentioned was bright. Of the aeroplanes shot down on October 22, eleven are in German possession. The German fliers attacked with bombs and machine guns troop camps and marching columns, while others flying low directed their machine gun fire on hostile trenches.

On the night of October 20-21, German air squadrons dropped several thousand kilograms of bombs on the railway station of Longueau, near Amiens and on ammunition depots at Oerley

and Marcel Cava and on Camp Bray on the Somme. The railroad station at Longueau was ignited and explosions apparently from ammunition trains followed. A huge fire was visible for a long time.

On the night of October 21-22 German squadrons dropped several thousand kilograms of bombs with strong effect upon the railway station of Mont Didier, on troop camps at Oulgnolles, Harbonniere and Preyart and upon troops marching to the front.

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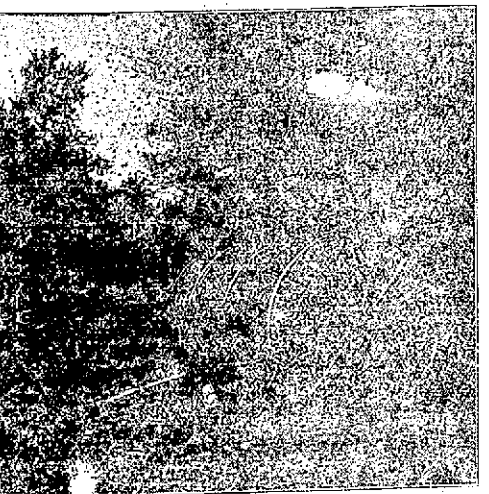
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Columbia Tonight—Jose Collins in "A Woman's Honor," Also Pathe's Latest Weekly

The exciting story of a woman's love, and the adventures it led her into, form the basis of "A Woman's Honor," the William Fox photoplay in which Jose Collins is appearing. The scene of a large part of the picture is laid in Italy. Into these surroundings Miss Collins, with her dark skin, black hair and eyes, fits perfectly.

Helena (Jose Collins), a beautiful mountain peasant girl, is desperately in love with Roberto (Armand Corneil), who returns her affection and

is ambitious to better his condition. He finally receives word of the riches to be had in America and decides to leave sunny Italy in search of his fortune. Under the Italian law two ceremonies are necessary to a wedding, the civil and the church. Time being short, Helena and Roberto decide to have the civil ceremony performed at once, so that he may leave, and to have the church wedding upon his return with great riches.

Immediately after the civil ceremony Roberto goes to the coal mines of Pennsylvania. He is there but a short while when the mother of Helena dies, and she decides to go to America and join her husband. She arrives at Naples. She misses the steamer, and at the instigation of Touchetti (Arthur Donaldson), a wealthy and powerful rascal, she is inveigled to the house of La Terribula (Mrs. Cecil Raleigh) where she is kept prisoner and terribly abused.

Finally she is given money and a steamship ticket to America, and released and told to rejoin her husband in that country. With revenge in her heart she starts for the coal mines, only to arrive as an explosion mortally injures her husband. She tells her dying husband of her mistreatment in Naples, and he insists upon her swearing an oath of vengeance against Touchetti and La Terribula.

Anita Stewart in "The Daring of Diana" at Lyric Tomorrow Teeming with the throbs and thrill of newspaper life, reflecting the "voice of the press" full of color and action, "The Daring of Diana" is a full-purposed play carrying a vital thought portrayed by captivating Anita Stewart. Loyal to the core, clever as a die she outwits the leader of the "other side" and though she goes through a very hell it all becomes a part of love, for her young chief.

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At the Arcana

"Liberty's Sacrifice" is the title of chapter 7 of "Liberty" that serial of nation-wide interest. This installment continues the effort to penetrate further into Mexico by Captain Rutledge in order to rescue Liberty from the bandits. The government orders the invasion into Mexico to cease but Rutledge leaves his men and goes into the desert country with Pedro alone to help him. The picture contains a wealth of picturesque scenes. "The Song of the Woods" is a Big U drama featuring Viola Smith. It is a mountain story in which a girl is almost led astray by a stranger but returns to her mountain lover after hearing her father's story. "Arthur's Desperate Resolve" is a Victor comedy featuring William Garwood and Lois Wilson. The young lover tries in various ways to commit suicide while in a fit of despondency. In spite of his consistent efforts he is prevented from doing away with himself. "The Desert Rat" is a two reel 101 Bison drama featuring Romaine Fielding. The tale concerns an old character of the desert who finds his son under unusual circumstances.

Five Big Reels at Temple Theatre Tonight

"Playthings of the Gods" a three reel Lubin drama will be the chief attraction at the Temple theatre tonight. This is a splendid drama, a heart interest play that is more than worth the small price of admission. It is a play full of heart interest, teaching a lesson that spectators will never forget. It will be followed by a strong drama, entitled "In Death's Pathway," a strong character play and one that will excite general interest. The big program will come to a close in a jubilee by the showing of a comedy, "A Baby Grand," a scream from beginning to end. The admission to the Temple is only five cents, despite the high character of the entertainment. Come tonight and see the big show.

At the Strand

"The Trail of Chance," a two reel 101 Bison drama is the big feature attraction offered Strand patrons tonight. Mary Fuller the famous Universal star is seen in the title role and through her emotional acting the picture has been made a great success. "The Trail of Chance" is a picture of heart interest that will appeal to everyone. "Snoring in High C" is one of those rollicking L-K-O comedies that fill the bill to a "T." A rip-roaring number that is crowded full of laughs. "Amused Weekly" this week contains news happenings right up to the minute. The latest events in the world's daily life are recorded in the Universal weekly each week. See tomorrow's show "The Folly of Desire," a five part Red Feather drama.

Will Give Social

The Sewing Circle of the A. M. E. church will give a house social at the home of Mrs. G. W. Banks on East Eleventh street, Thursday evening, October 26. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Mrs. G. W. Banks, president; Narcissa Jones, secretary.

Back From Cincinnati.

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Andrew Sommer and son Raymond of Vernon were visitors to New Boston Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Tatman of McDer-mott who has been spending several days with Mrs. James Hurley of Rhodes avenue returned home Wednesday.

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ATLEE POMERENE.For Representative to Congress,
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WILL P. HAYNES.For Representative in
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CONRAD ROTH.For Clerk of the Common
Pleas Court,
GEO. C. LAUDER.For Sheriff,
WM. BENNETT.For County Auditor,
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PHILLIP JACOBS.For Coroner,
GEO. W. MARTIN.

JUDICIAL TICKET

For Judge of the Supreme Court,
MAURICE H. DONAHUE.For Judge of the Court of Appeals,
(Short Term)
MATTHEW P. MERRIMAN.For Judge of the Probate Court,
H. STANLEY McCALL.

(Political Advertisement)

Realty Deals

Mary E. and Luther Hall to
C. F. Durell, lot 135 New Boston,
\$1.Albert and Ella Hilliard to
Earl Gilmore, lot 126, Town of
Nevins, \$1.Clarence E. and Minnie Nod-
der to Henry Kelsa, Jr., lot 15
Pursell and McClain Centennial
addition, \$1.Floyd D. and Anna L. Saylor
to William H. Hughes, north 24
feet, lot 157, Mound addition, \$1.Anna E. and Charles Billian to
Fred and Sallie Knost, .03 acre
Kinney's Lane, \$1.

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Grading Completed

Work on the Ohio Valley Traction
line is moving along steadily
according to General Manager
Raymond York. Practically all
of the grading has been completed.

Gathered Walnuts

Charles Spent, Harry Huffman
and Tom McLaughlin spent Tuesday
gathering walnuts in the
vicinity of Argenton, Ky.MADE IN
U.S.A.Duffy's
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HERRICK AT KENTON

Kenton, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Myron T.
Herrick, Republican candidate for
senator, addressing a Republican
rally here last night, declared that
the present administration has paid
more attention to playing politics
than to patriotism when handling the
big economic questions of the day.

He said:

"There is assurance of peace under
Republican administration. It will
not be handicapped by blunders of
the recent past. It will have
strong men at its head. It will
maintain American rights by sticking
to correct American doctrines and
it will carry out the demand of
the American people for a stronger
army and navy to secure us against
trouble. Peace lies in strength, not
in weakness, in the confident assertion
of known rights, not in their
withdrawal."Herrick, in closing his speech, said
"The Democratic party did nothing
to bring our present abnormal prosperity
and it has done nothing to
prevent its ending. It is in the Republican
party that the hope of
peace and prosperity lies, peace with
self-respect and prosperity that does
not depend on war alone."Herrick urged the Republicans to
continue Governor Frank B. Willis
in power as governor. He said the
time Willis has been in the state
house has been filled with grave and
serious difficulties, and the governor
ought to have another term "to complete
the work he has started in such
good shape."

Garrison Visitor

E. C. Sellards, of Garrison, Ky.,
brother of Dr. A. G. Sellards, is
in the city on business.Three fine opossums which
Donald C. Stockham, a Friendship
greaser had captured in an all
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WANTED:—Roomers at 1234 3rd St., opposite Dawson boarding house. Mrs. Martha Smith. 25-7t

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. 551 4th. 25-3t

WANTED:—Second hand furniture and stoves. 1024 9th. Phone 1180-Y. 5-4t

WANTED:—Old false teeth, \$1.10 paid per full set. Any condition. Also buy crowns and bridges. Shore time only. 302 Court St. 21-6t

NOTICE:—Phone 1831-Y for long distance and local moving. Brown, 1015 Clay St. 14-10t

NOTICE:—Removal sale in view of the fact that we can carry money easier than we can move merchandise and fixtures. Owning to the fact that we are going to be compelled to give possession where we now are we will sell any or all merchandise or fixtures at 172 Gallia avenue, New Boston, regardless of cost, and all ladies' and gents' furnishings and notions. The New Underwriting Store. 17-4t

WANTED:—Drill runner for traction well drill. Apply to Winston & Co., Scioto, Ohio. Home phone Portsmouth 3102-Y. Bell Harrisonville No. 26. 21-5t

WANTED:—An experienced grocery salesman. Address Wholesale Grocer, care Times office. 21-7t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Two bay horses; weight 2700 lbs. Home phone 2600-Y. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—Six room two story bath, 1810 Highland avenue, lot 35 ft. front; bargain, \$3000. 5 room cottage, 1746 7th; \$1000 down, balance easy payments. P. W. Kilcoyne, 52 First National Bank Building, Phone 1698 or 1408-L. 25-5t

FOR SALE:—Right clothing racks in good condition. Apply at Liberty Store, 910 Gallia. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—Folding bed, baby bed, good condition. 2622 1/2 Second St. 25-2t

FOR SALE:—1916 3 speed Harley Davidson, a bargain if sold at once. Apply 613 Chillicothe. 23-3t

FOR SALE:—5 passenger Reo, A No. 1 condition. Call at 1015 9th. Cheap if sold at once. 23-3t

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotypic mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-4t

FOR SALE:—8 room modern house, 1722 Baird avenue. Address Henry Saunders, 108 Edgar avenue. Dayton, O. 2-4t

FOR SALE:—New 6 room modern bungalow, bath, basement, attic, gas and electricity, new lot, new garage. Possession at once, in Portsmouth. Houses and lots in Wheelersburg. Three lots in Homestead 100 ft. by 360 ft., \$350 each. Prather and Rickey, Home Phone 95-Y, Wheelersburg, O. 24-2t

FOR SALE:—Pair of collie pedigree dogs. Phone 1725 or 1235 3rd. 24-2t

FOR SALE:—Cottage and lot in Long Meadow, Sciotoville, cheap. Call 1520 Waller St. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—Modern 5 room cottage, bath, 40 ft. lot. 1644 5th or phone 356-Y. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—Gas heater, good as new. 1621 Grandview. 24-2t

FOR SALE:—Horse, runabout and harness. Phone 1511-Y. 24-4t

FOR SALE:—Two story camp in good condition, cheap if sold at once. Inquire Lewis Turner at Joseph G. Reed Co. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—Gas stove in good condition at 547 6th. 24-2t

FOR SALE:—Or Trade: 175 acre farm, 40 acres of young fruit trees, new 6 room house, good barn and other outbuildings. Phone 153 or call at Daulton's grocery, 317 Second street. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—Brown leather fume oak davenport. Reasonable. 2127 11th. 23-4t

Forearm Is Fractured

Mrs. William Henderson of Fullerton, tripped and fell in her home Tuesday afternoon and fractured her right forearm.

Wants Divorce
Married July 3, 1907, Olive Sprague, this city, is now seeking a divorce and alimony from Stephen Sprague, whom she says has been wilfully absent from his home. The mother asks custody of the two children, Jane, 8, and Spencer 7, reasonable alimony and a divorce. Attorney Harry Ball filed the action.

Carload Of Buicks
Agent Stanley Prichard Wednesday received a carload of Buick machines.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

FOR SALE:—Farms, some will trade for city property. Houses and lots in Portsmouth. Six room house, 2 acres of ground in Sciotoville, 5 room house, one acre of ground in Sciotoville; will trade for Portsmouth property. W. H. Shonkwiler, Phone 1455-X. 24-6t

FOR SALE:—Stock of groceries. Call 1218 9th or Phone 378. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—Business property, 838 Gallia. J. J. Schlichter, 724 10th. 12-12t

FOR SALE:—40 acre farm. Inquire of I. M. McJunkin, 1108 9th. 17-10t

FOR SALE:—Good horse, Columbia Ice Cream Co., 1201 Findlay. 16-10t

FOR SALE:—Good milk cow. Phone 1829-R. 23-3t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms. 311 Gay. 25-2t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping with private bath and entrance. 637 2nd. Phone 1414. 25-4t

FOR RENT:—Large front room for light housekeeping with bath and two beds for man and wife with children. Inquire 930 Gallia street. 25-4t

FOR RENT:—1 room house. Phone 1137-R. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. \$17 Findlay. 24-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1634 Eighth street. 24-3t

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 912 Seventh. Phone 1187-L. 24-2t

FOR RENT:—Rooms for housekeeping. Apply 911 4th. 24-2t

FOR RENT:—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, all conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 23-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light housekeeping, water and gas included. Inquire 923 4th. 23-4t

FOR RENT:—2 nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 244-X. 725 6th St. 23-4t

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms with bath. 1320 Grandview. 23-3t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, bath and phone. 1518 Grandview. 18-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 702 John St. 21-5t

FOR RENT:—Nice front furnished room with modern conveniences. 618 Washington St. 20-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1717 7th. 23-4t

LOST

LOST:—Bird dog, large pointer. J. T. Stedham, Phone 39-Y. Sciotoville exchange. Reward. 25-3t

LOST:—1 room cottage. Phone 1207-W of evenings. 25-4t

LOST:—Dark blue leather purse on West Side or in city containing check and receipts bearing owner's name. Notify W. C. A. 24-1t

LOST:—Security bank check book with Bank of Albany cover and two receipt books. Return to Portsmouth College of Business, and receive reward. 25-2t

LOST:—Four keys on ring. Please notify Wesley Hall Mission. 25-3t

LOST:—Bunch keys, Saturday. Return 2202 7th St. 24-3t

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Oct. 25.—Technical and political considerations contributed to the uncertain trend of today's broad operations, with further strength in secondary rails and the less important specialties.

The irregular tendencies of the preceding session were again manifested through in more moderate degree at today's opening, various specialties including life and leather common and preferred International Paper, Republic Iron, Utah Copper and Colorado Fuel preceding from fractions to almost 2 points. This was more than offset, however, by very substantial advances in Industrial Alcohol, American Writing Paper preferred, the Sugars, California Petroleum, Marine and other leading stocks. Both Island and Denver and Rio Grande preferred featured the rails on advance of two or more points. Professional pressure was seen overcome, virtually all losses being retrieved to the accompaniment of various new records. These include American Beet and Cuban Cane sugars.

American Writing Paper preferred and Consolidated Gas of Baltimore white Alcohol gained about 10 points with 9 for Bethlehem Steel. U. S. Steel was firm with shipping shares and motors. Hides and leather preferred, however, showed increasing weakness and some high priced specialties reacted moderately with metals. Before noon realization of the fact that the market was not materially reduced in the face of the first hour, the only marked exceptions being Washington, General Electric and Sears-Robuck at 2 to 4 point advances. Bonds were irregular.

Confusing cross currents marked the later dealings, the leaders displaying greater heaviness, while minor rails and specialty issues increased early gains. The closing was irregular.

CLOSING PRICES

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis-Chalmers 25
American Beet Sugar 103 1/2
American Can 62
American Car and Foundry 67 1/2
American Locomotive 80 1/2
American Smelting and Refining 150
American Sugar Refining 122 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. 130 1/2
Anaconda Copper 93 1/2
Armstrong 107 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 81
Baltimore and Ohio 82 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 61 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Trans 83 1/2
Butte and Superior 64 1/2
California Petroleum 23 1/2
Canadian Pacific 126 1/2
Central Leather 91 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 68 1/2
Chicago, M. & St. Paul 91 1/2
Chicago, N. I. and Pac. Ry. 31 1/2
Climax Copper 88 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron 53 1/2
Columbia Steel 17 1/2
Crawford 17 1/2
Crescent Steel 17 1/2
Deere and Co. 100 1/2
DuPont 100 1/2
Erie 38 1/2
General Electric 143 1/2
Goodrich Co. 38 1/2
Great Northern Ore. 43 1/2
Great Northern Pfd. 118 1/2
Illinois Central 108 1/2
Interborough Consol. Corp. 17 1/2
Inland Empire 100 1/2
International Paper 110 1/2
Lackawanna Steel 87 1/2
Lehigh Valley 83 1/2
Louisville and Nashville 136
Maxwell Motor Co. 88 1/2
Mexican Petroleum 110 1/2
Miami Copper 39 1/2
Missouri, Kansas and Texas Pfd. 18
Missouri Pacific 8 1/2
National Pacific 112 1/2
Northern Pacific 112
Pennsylvania 38
Ray Consolidated Copper 25 1/2
Reading 108 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel 78
Southern Pacific 101 1/2
Southern Railway 98 1/2
Studebaker Co. 133
Texas Co. 228 1/2
Tennessee Copper 22 1/2
Union Pacific 154 1/2
United States Rubber 60
United States Steel Pfd. 91 1/2
Utah Copper 82 1/2
Wabash 11 1/2
Western Union 103
Westinghouse Electric 61
Kennebec 39 1/2
American Zinc 36 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Morning reports that owing to greatly increased demand and damage from drought the estimated American corn surplus had shrunk to a sensational extent brought about a rapid advance today in the wheat market here. Futures in price were much facilitated by word that yesterday's export sales in the United States were larger than at first announced, and that foreigners were today continuing to purchase freely. In the speculative pit, there seemed to be no limit to the offerings. Selling was only by profit takers. Opening prices which ranged from 74 to 75 1/2 higher, with December at 1.80 to 1.81 1/2 and May at 1.79 1/2 to 1.81 were followed by a rise

respectively to 1.81 and 1.82 1/2. Subsequently, the market outdid even the high prices attained in the latter "corner" of 1888. The extraordinary bulge, however, led to foreigners taking to the selling side and forcing a sharp setback in quotations. The close was weak at 74 to 75 1/2 advance, with December at 1.80 to 1.80 1/2 and May at 1.80 1/2 to 1.81 1/2. Although at first corn was weak the market soon rose with wheat. Signs of increasing receipts caused the initial depression. After opening unchanged to 1/4 lower, prices sagged a little further, and then scored a substantial general advance. The strength in corn disappeared when wheat turned weak. The close was heavy at 74 to 75 1/2 net decline. Oats showed strength from the start. The reason was active export demand. Higher quotations of hogs gave firmness to provisions. There was no pressure to sell.

OPENING PRICES

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Wheat—Dec. \$1.81 1/2 to \$1.82 1/2; May \$1.80 1/2 to \$1.81 1/2; Corn—Dec. 88 1/2 to 89 1/2; May 88 1/2 to 89 1/2; Oats—Dec. 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; May 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; Pork—Dec. \$23.80; Jan. \$24.50; Lard—Dec. \$15.80; Jan. \$16.50; Hides—Oct. \$11.00; Jan. \$11.20.

CLOSING PRICES

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Wheat—Dec. \$1.81 1/2 to \$1.82 1/2; May \$1.80 1/2 to \$1.81 1/2; Corn—Dec. 88 1/2 to 89 1/2; May 88 1/2 to 89 1/2; Oats—Dec. 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; May 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; Pork—Dec. \$23.80; Jan. \$24.50; Lard—Dec. \$15.80; Jan. \$16.50; Hides—Oct. \$11.00; Jan. \$11.20.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork—Dec. \$23.80; Jan. \$24.50; Lard—Dec. \$15.80; Jan. \$16.50; Hides—Oct. \$11.00; Jan. \$11.20.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, Oct. 25.—Wheat—Cash \$1.82 1/2 to \$1.83 1/2; May \$1.81 1/2 to \$1.82 1/2; Corn—Dec. 89 1/2 to 90 1/2; May 89 1/2 to 90 1/2; Oats—Dec. 58 1/2 to 59 1/2; May 58 1/2 to 59 1/2; Pork—Dec. \$23.80; Jan. \$24.50; Lard—Dec. \$15.80; Jan. \$16.50; Hides—Oct. \$11.00; Jan. \$11.20.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Hogs—Receipts 45,000; slow; 56 above yesterday's average; bulk \$10.00 to \$10.10; light \$10.00 to \$10.10; mixed \$9.80 to \$10.00; heavy \$9.80 to \$10.00; rough \$9.80 to \$10.00; pigs \$9.80 to \$10.00. Cattle—Receipts 25,000; easy; native beef cattle \$

Jess Willard Says: "Take Nuxated Iron"

If you want plenty of 'stay there' strength and endurance and health and muscles like mine.

Ordinary Nuxated Iron will often increase strength and endurance of the delicate nervous folks 300 per cent in two weeks' time.

SPECIAL NOTE—Dr. E. Bauer, a well known physician, who has studied widely in both this country and Europe, has been especially employed to make a thorough investigation into the real secret of the great strength, power and endurance of Jess Willard, and the marvelous value of nuxated iron as a strength builder.

NEW YORK—Upon being interviewed at his apartment in the Colonial Hotel, Dr. Willard said: "Yes, I have a chemist with me to study the value of different foods and products as to their power to produce great strength and endurance, both of which are so necessary in the prize ring. On his recommendation I have often taken nuxated iron and I have particularly advocated the free use of iron by all those who wish to obtain great physical and mental power. Without it I am sure that I would never have been able to whip Jack Johnson, to whom I was completely and easily as I did, and while training for my bout with Frank Moran, I regularly took nuxated iron and I am certain that it was a most important factor in my winning so easily. Considering Dr. Bauer's case, Dr. Willard's case is only one of hundreds which I could cite from my own personal experience which grows conclusively the astonishing power of nuxated iron to restore strength and vitality even in most complicated chronic conditions.

Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of 20 and as full of vigor, power and vitality as a young man; in fact a young man he really was notwithstanding his age. The secret he said was taking iron—nuxated iron had filled him with renewed life. At 30 he was in bad health; he was nervous and nearly all in. I gave him a hundred times over, iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only throw away patent medicines and useless concoctions and take simple nuxated iron, I am convinced that the lives of thousands of persons might be saved who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, consumption, kidney liver and heart trouble, etc. The real and true cause which started their diseases was nothing more or less than a weakened condition brought on by lack



I consider that plenty of iron in my blood is the secret of my great strength, power and endurance.

Jess Willard

A hitherto untold secret of his great victory over Jack Johnson and Frank Moran.

of iron in the blood. Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much of what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient of iron. If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run-down people who were ailing all the while, double their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been suffering for months without obtaining any benefit. But, don't take the old form of reduced iron, iron acetate or chloride of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like nuxated iron if you wish it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

Many an athlete or prize fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the arena while many another has gone to ignominious defeat simply for the lack of iron.—E. Bauer, M. D.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Bauer, is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not produce the usual "constipation" or "acid stomach," as the case of the contrary, it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous, run-down conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to refund \$100.00 to take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 30 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. If it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time, it is dispensed by either and it is their pharmacy and all good druggists.

PROHIBITION PARTY WILL BEGIN CAMPAIGN SUNDAY

The Prohibition party will formally launch their campaign in Scioto county, Saturday evening and Sunday.

F. W. Lowe, chairman of the state executive committee, Columbus, will arrive in the city Saturday noon, accompanied by John Huddleson, far famed 300 pound basso singer, Indianapolis, Ind.

The first meeting will be held at Sciotoville at five o'clock. At 7:30 o'clock, the first meeting in the city will be conducted on the Gallia street esplanade.

Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, State Chairman Lowe and his assistant will hold a meeting at the First Christian church, where the state and national issues of the Prohibition party will be explained. At 9:30 o'clock the two distinguished visitors will take charge of the combined Men's Bible classes at the Trinity Methodist church.

A general mass meeting will be held at the Trinity church at 2:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

At 7:30 o'clock, Sunday evening, the last meeting of the campaign will be held at the Manly church.

John Huddleson, the 300 pound basso singer and Chairman Lowe, well known tenor singer, will reproduce their famous sketch entitled "The Clowns", which created considerable attention in musical circles last year.

29 Applications Are Received

Twenty-nine applications for membership were received by Peerless Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose at its weekly meeting Tuesday night. An enjoyable social session followed the business meeting. The meeting next Tuesday night will be of vital importance and all members are urged to attend.

Miss Pearl Rhodes has been called to Pittsburgh by the serious illness of a relative.

"Pipe" This Story

An iron pipe 125 feet in length and over five feet in diameter passed through the city Tuesday afternoon as part of an N. & W. extra freight. The pipe was a rotary cement kiln and is on its way to St. Louis by the way of Columbus. The pipe occupied three flat cars.

CLEAR BAD SKIN FROM WITHIN

Pinchy, mucky complexions are due to impurities in the blood. Clear up the skin by taking Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their mild laxative qualities remove the poisons from the system and brighten the eye. A full, free, non-grating bowel movement in the morning is the reward of a dose of Dr. King's New Life Pills the night before. At your Drug-gist, 25c.

Open Air Meeting At Baptist Church

Unless the weather prevents the first service to be held in the new First Baptist church, Gallia and Waller streets will be an open air meeting to be held this evening, Wednesday, at 7:15 o'clock. The meeting will be held in place of the regular

Wednesday prayer services held in the library basement.

Only a short service will be held by Rev. B. F. Caudill. Seats have been provided and electric lights were put in place Wednesday afternoon. A large number are expected present at this unique service.

Will Lay Cornerstone

Special octagon brick have been received by express for building up the corner of the First Baptist church so that the corner stone can be laid next Sunday. The ceremony will be held at 3:40 o'clock Sunday afternoon with

appropriate exercises, and all Baptist ministers in the city will take part. A list of the things to be put in the copper box in the corner stone is being prepared. The general public is invited to the exercises.

TERMINALS

L. E. Dugan, bill clerk at the scale office in the Portsmouth & W. yards, has resigned his position and will leave for Williamson in a few days where he will take employment.

Clay Bennett, N. & W. brakeman, who sprained his ankle several days ago, is getting along nicely at his home in Portsmouth. Mrs. Oscar Riekey is having her

house on Walnut street painted. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Compton, of Olive Hill, Ky., are the guests of his sister, Mrs. Charles Higgin, of Gallia street.

Mitchell Buck, N. & W. engineer, who was operated on several weeks ago at the Hempstead hospital, is able to be out again. Mrs. J. N. Massie is ill at her home on Gallia street.

PORTSMOUTH INCLUDED IN LEAGUE

The Ohio State Journal says: "Branches of the Workingmen's Co-operative League, organized for the promotion and preservation of the Adams eight-hour law, the Ohio workingmen's compensation law, mothers' pensions and all progressive legislation, have been formed in Circleville, Chillicothe, Portsmouth, Ironton and Delaware.

Following are the officers: Circleville—Membership, 153; John Green, chairman; C. E. Stout, secretary.

Chillicothe—Membership, 234; O. E. West, chairman; J. Newland, secretary.

Portsmouth—Membership, 511; C. Vinson, chairman; L. C. Payne, secretary.

Ironton—Membership, 181; James North, chairman; William Hite, secretary.

Delaware—Membership, 138; P. J. Foley, chairman; J. D. Mitch, secretary.

Enacts Role Of Real Hero

Charles Sommer, of the hardware firm of Sommer Bros., leaped from an automobile on Fourth street Wednesday afternoon to stop a runaway horse that was attached to a Pure Milk Company wagon.

Looking all around to make sure that nobody was watching him, Charley quickly hitched the animal to a post then hastily drove away from the neighborhood.

G. O. P. Claim Ohio By Over 50,000

A message was received by John F. Eckhart, chairman of the local executive committee Wednesday from the Republican state executive committee, stating that an interesting and enthusiastic meeting of that organization was held at Columbus Tuesday afternoon and final arrangements for the Ohio campaign were laid.

Predictions were made at this meeting by members after reports had been received from the various counties in the state that Ohio would go Republican in the November election between fifty and sixty thousand.

BIG SHIPMENT OF BUCKWHEAT

Probably what is the largest car of buckwheat, both in number of bushels and amount of money involved that was ever shipped from this section of the country, was shipped by the Pee Pee Milling Company, of Waverly, Ohio, owned and operated by the Grimes-Strimatter Grain Company, of this city, from Beaver, Ohio, yesterday. The car contained 1,568 bushels and the farmers received \$1,568.00 for the same.

SUPPER TAKES PRECEDENCE OF GYM WORK

On account of a chicken supper being given in the gymnasium of the German Evangelical Sunday School Thursday evening the young men and boys will not have

their first night in the gym as planned, it being postponed to November 2. Plans will be laid for the organizing of a four team basketball league in the Sunday School.

HORSES ARE SHIPPED TO THE ALLIES

Twenty-five carloads of horses, direct from the Southwest, passed through South Portsmouth over the

C. & O. Wednesday morning on their way to the battle-torn fields of Europe. The horses were purchased by representatives of the Allies.

Woman Given Aid

Mrs. Elizabeth Thurman, of 915 Twelfth street, was furnished with temporary relief by the public safety department Wednesday. There are several children in the family and the woman's husband is afflicted with tuberculosis.

Had Eye Trouble

Peter Gartner, a well known

TELLS CAUSE OF SEASONAL ILLS

Run Down Health Makes Body
More Liable to Disease.

STOMACH USUALLY TO BLAME

Human Machine Falls When Digestive and Elimination Processes Get Out of Order, Yielding Poisonous Waste Instead of Strength-Building Nutrition—Tanlac Expert Talks.

Many ills to which people are especially liable at this time of the year are direct results of a disordered stomach and deranged digestion, according to the Tanlac health expert.

"In a majority of cases those who suffer from sickness must blame their stomachs," he said. "We must remember that the strength of the body comes from the digestive system.

Food Becomes Poison.

"When the supply of nutrition needed to keep the human machine falls, the food which should have given strength becomes poisonous waste. "The stomach has been called 'the chemical laboratory of the body.' There the material taken into the body is rendered into blood, bone and muscle for permanent health, vigor and vitality.

"The success of Tanlac as an aid to digestion, assimilation and the functions which dispose of waste matter has been proclaimed by thousands.

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"Tanlac is a vegetable remedy, designed to feed while it heals sick, sore stomachs, and to bring back the digestive system to its normal, natural work. Thus health is restored, yielding energy, ambition and vitality, and giving that feeling of complete well-being necessary to the full enjoyment of life by every man and woman.

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REALTY DEALS

William J. B. Moore, guardian, to Dora J. Copelan, lot 325, Yorktown addition, New Boston, \$1325.

Trustees of the Ohio State University to William Yaeger, 111.2 acres, Nile township, \$2.

William Breeding to William C. Jones et al, 77 acres, Green township, \$700.

Margaret E. Bussa to Myrta E. Pike, lot 63 and west 10 feet lot 63, Buch-Snyder addition, \$1.

P. M. and Linnie Stewart to Sophia Yeley, lot 43, Linwood addition, Porter township, \$400.

J. J. and Mary A. Harden to James Boren, lot 79, Board of Trade addition, \$1.

C. J. Moulton to The C. J. Moulton Company, part lot 29, village of Lucasville.

Was in Columbus.

C. F. Losh, division engineer of the N. & W., was a business visitor to Columbus Wednesday.

Machinery Installed

Machinery is being installed in the T. M. Jewett and Sons' corn sheller at Fourteenth and Findlay streets. The plant will be put in operation in about another month. The machinery being installed will handle the corn from the time it is taken into the building until it is ready for shipment.

Inspection Visit.

R. C. Wescott of Chillicothe, division trainmaster of the B. & O. railroad, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday here on an inspection visit.

Gets New Buick

Dr. Carl G. Braunlin of Elvencott and Hutchins streets has received a model light six Buick roadster from Agent Stanley Prichard.

Car of Fords

The Universal Motor company received another carload of Ford machines Wednesday.

THE WHOLE BODY NEEDS PURE BLOOD

The bones, the muscles, and all the organs of the body depend for their strength and tone and healthy action on pure blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. It is positively unequalled in the treatment of scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling. There is no other medicine like it. Be sure to get Hood's and get it today. It is sold by all druggists.

To Install New Courses

The Portsmouth College of Business will install new night courses in mathematics, spelling, reading, and penmanship, according to an announcement made by Charles Bridwell Wednesday. These special courses were installed at the request of several young people.

New students enrolling this week were: Miss Elizabeth Bannan, Bannan Place; Norman Whitley, Harvard Place; Miss Katie Wheeler, 109 Offene street.

SOCIETY

The home of Mrs. Mary S. Shaw, 615 Eighth street, was the scene of a surprise party Tuesday evening, given by her daughter, Ruth Shaw, in honor of her guest, Miss Bessie Hoy, of Columbus. Miss Hoy received a number of beautiful presents. The guests included Mabel and Bessie Hoy, of Columbus, Mabel Moritz, Mattie Marsh, Edith Davis, Gertrude Loder, Pearl and Helen Nagel, Emma and Hazel Guilkey, Hazel Jones, Clara and Marie McLaughlin and Edna Hazzelman, and Messrs. William and John Belcher, Jack Graves, Dennis Moore, Lee Turner, Walter Chudill, Jack Reidner, Garland Lewis, John Woods, G. W. Fulcher, Elliott McKnight and Robert Padan. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Members of the Mizpah class of the United Brethren church "belled" Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coburn at their home on Center street, New Boston, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Coburn recently returned from a wedding trip. Mrs. Coburn served refreshments.

Miss Madeline Baird will be toastmaster at the banquet to be given by Delta Zeta sorority, Tuesday evening at the Chittenden hotel, in celebration of Founders' Day. Mrs. Charles F. F. Campbell, Miss Arena O'Brien, Miss Amanda Thomas, Miss Marie Bluet and Miss Harriet Fischer will respond to toasts.—Columbus Dispatch.

A jolly party of young people recently enjoyed an outing to Crick-ton's Inn, where they spent the afternoon in nutting. The outing was given for the pleasure of Miss Clara Tyler, of Cincinnati, guest of Miss Bess True. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Journey, Misses Mary Cottle, Martha Jennings, Bess True, Helen Warner, Clara Tyler, May Tattman, Henrietta Russ, Enlah Adkins, Messrs. Lester Jones, William Geary, William Heisel, Wallace Smith, Leonard Staydon, William Cottle, Wesley Carson and Mr. McDonald, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. Harry Collis, of Scioto Trail, has as guest Messrs. Orin Shy and Clarence Fultz, of Piquet.

Miss Clara Walker and Miss Mary K. Reed went to Cincinnati today for a short visit.

The Philomena Class of the First Baptist Sunday school met in delightful session last evening at the parsonage, where there were twenty-five members and four visitors present. At the close of the business all were invited to the dining-room, where a delicious three course lunch was daintily served. The room was decorated in keeping with the Halloween season. This kindness by the pastor and his good wife was much appreciated by the class. Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Miss Inez Staracher.

Mrs. George Kuehler, of Wheeling, W. Va., is visiting her brother, Ed Kelley, of Seventh street, and other relatives.

The Girls' Octette of All Saints' church will sing at the Musical service to be held next Sunday evening at All Saints' church. The members of the octette are Misses Anna Marie Capehart, Ida Faivre, Katherine Hall, Winnie Krauser, Elizabeth Minego, Mabel Shaw, Harriet Thomas and Dorothy Varner.

The Scioto Bridge Club will meet on Thursday, November 2nd, at the home of Mrs. Watson Goddard.

Mrs. R. D. York is ill at her home on Highland avenue.

Miss Margaret Morton, daughter of Mrs. Priscilla Morton, of Green-up, Ky., and Mr. William Hockaday, formerly of Portsmouth, will be married this evening at the bride's home in Greenup, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hager went up to Greenup today to attend the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams will entertain the Wild Cat Club Friday evening at their home on New Fifth street.

Mrs. D. E. Gardner will be hostess at next Wednesday's meeting of the T. H. B. club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George W. Grimes.

The first of the evening card parties of the Jewish Kaffee Klatch was held last evening in Seel's parlors, where there were enough guests for nine tables of five hundred. Mrs. A. Schapiro and Mrs. A. Myer were the



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Democratic Candidate For Prosecuting Attorney.

committee in charge. Mrs. J. D. Mendel, won the first favor for the women, a Sheffield sandwich tray.

Mr. Dan Labold won a year's subscription for a magazine, and the guest favor, a cretonne roll for linen, was awarded to Mrs. Mendel's guest, Mrs. Ben Aaron, of Chillicothe. Another out-of-town guest was Mrs. Henry Smith, of Charleston, W. Va. The game was followed by an elegant supper, served at the card tables.

The Matron and Maid Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Margaret McMahon, on Ninth street.

Miss Grace MacBain left this morning for her home in Cleveland, after visiting at the home of Miss Augusta Haldeman.

The Hamilton Whist Club will be entertained next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie C. Turley.

Mrs. Carrie Batey's class of Bigelow Methodist Sunday school will give a party Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Horr, 1023 Fifth street.

Miss Grace Cline has issued unique invitations to a Halloween party, which read as follows: "Try your best to be our guest—We'll entertain on Halloween; O, mercy me, the awfulest things. That you will see—ghosts—Goblins and witches, too—And other things to frighten you. Monday evening, October 30th. Grace Cline, 1769 Timmonds Ave. Please answer."

Mrs. Ralph Loft will entertain the Merry Twelve Club tomorrow afternoon at her home on Highland avenue.

Mrs. George Matthews' cousins, Dr. and Mrs. T. T. Rosendale, left today for their home in Fostoria.

Mrs. W. H. Angie, of Piquet, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Yeley, on Scioto Trail.

Mrs. S. S. Haldeman and daughter, Miss Laura Haldeman, Miss Margaret Firminstone and Miss Clara Waller took dinner at the Brown farm at Rockville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kyle and son, "Bobbie," will leave Friday for a two weeks' visit with Mr. Kyle's relatives in Cloverdale, Va., and Mrs. Kyle's relatives in Columbus.

The Evening Five Hundred Club will participate in a Halloween party next Monday evening at the home of Miss Edna Streich, where the members who lost in the last series will entertain the winners with a six o'clock dinner.

A STORY OF LONG SUFFERING

Indiana Lady's Deliverance Effected At The Eleventh Hour.

Alfordville, Ind.—In a letter from this place, Mrs. Vada Street says: "For over eight years, I suffered from almost every ailment known to my sex.

I would have such severe pains in my back, every month, that I would be in bed two or three days.

At such times I would be so nervous that I could hardly stand to have anyone walk across the floor.

I tried a lot of different medicines, but nothing I ever tried did me so much good as Cardui, the woman's tonic.

I have taken three bottles of Cardui, and the last three months I haven't suffered any pain at all, and I do not have those awful nervous spells. Had I only known of this wonderful medicine eight years ago, I could have saved many dollars, and days of pain and sorrow.

I advise every woman who has the least symptom of womanly trouble, to take Cardui."

Lady Reader, have you any of these symptoms? If so, we urge you, as Mrs. Street does, to give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

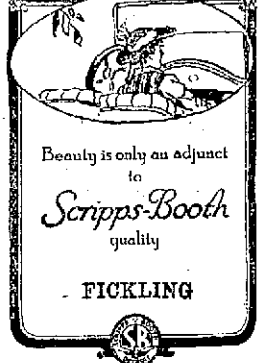
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WEST END NEWS

GIRLS! TRY THIS! HAVE THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL HAIR

Every Particle of Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out.

Draw A Moist Cloth Through Hair and Double Its Beauty At Once.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandarine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandarine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandarine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandarine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.

Save your hair? Beautify it! You will say this was the best 25 cents you ever spent.

Barges In Local Harbor

The Kanawha river coal fleet to avoid sinking any more barges of coal at the government dam just below Portsmouth is now temporarily leaving the balance of the larger barge loads in the local harbor. They are being assembled by the towboat Bertha just below Capehart's landing. The barges are too deep to safely pass over the dam and while the stage is not more than 12 feet at present the water there is very swift.

Will Shields Ill

Will Shields, who is employed in the Whitaker-Glessner company's foundry, is quite ill at his home on Third street.

In Cincinnati

Bruce Hoobler, a Market street clothier, went to Cincinnati on a business trip Tuesday.

Prevented Fight

Undertaker Geo. Pfeiffer is still chuckling over the ease with which he prevented a fight several nights ago. George had retired for the night as had others of the Pfeiffer household when suddenly all were aroused by loud wrangling, curses and threats down on the sidewalk. "Boys, you're not going to fight for I've called the patrol and it will be here in a few minutes," yelled George as he opened a window. The would-be scoundrels fairly "beat it."

Elks Meet Tonight

The Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks will meet in regular session tonight. The annual lodge of sorrow will be held the first Sunday in December.

Mr. Selby In East

George D. Selby left Wednesday for New York city on a short business trip.

Returns To Ironton

M. E. Edelson, one of Ironton's most successful merchants, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Al Hammel of this city.

Family Is Given Aid

The Milton Riley family in the West End hotel building were furnished temporary relief by the public safety department Wednesday. Two of the six children in the family, which came to Portsmouth from New Boston a few weeks ago, are very ill with typhoid fever. Mr. Riley himself was out of work until Monday of this week when he entered the employ of the Interstate Transfer company. Mrs. Riley told the officials that after he made his first draw of wages they would probably be able to help themselves.

As Day Clerk

John Shiver, who for some months past has been working on a farm in Madison county, has returned to Portsmouth and taken a position as day clerk at the Biggs House.

Improving Slowly

August Lovey, a Dry Run young farmer, who had his skull fractured in a recent runaway accident, is slowly improving though of late has been suffering with ear trouble.

HOME TREATMENT FOR SORE THROAT

Sore throats, with their attending evils of acute discomfort, racking coughs, and sometimes fatal weakening of the system, are the curse of the northern races. Yet people too often accept them as Mohammedans accept the plague, without effort to cure or to prevent. Since sore throats are the work of germs, they can, however, be easily prevented and relieved at home.

All that is necessary is to kill the germs that cause the raw feeling of the membranes and often cause annoying accumulations of phlegm which must be partially cleared away by those convulsive efforts of the lungs which go by the name of coughs.

The most efficient, economical and safe germicide for the purpose can be made at home by simply adding five to ten drops of Hycolorite to a glass of water. This Hycolorite water should be used as a thorough gargle for the raw throat in which the germs have made their home, or as a preventive gargle at the first symptoms of a cold in the throat.

Hycolorite will do the work more efficiently than any of the many germicides now on the market. It is a solution of sodium hypochlorite. A U. S. government report has been published showing that 130 antiseptics were recently tested in the military hospitals of Europe and sodium hypochlorite declared by the surgeons to be the most economical and effective of them all.

Although many times more powerful than the harmful antiseptics which contain poisons, acids, mercury or dangerous preservatives, Hycolorite is even safer than the weak and ineffective peroxides. It is clean and harmless as water but powerful. Any druggist can supply Hycolorite in 25 and 50 cent bottles. General Laboratories, Madison, Wisconsin.

New Lights Are Shipped

Frank White, chairman of the light committee of the West End Improvement Association, has just received a bill of lading from South Bend, Ind., showing that the electric arc lights ordered from a firm there some time ago, had been shipped October 18. Mr. White is now expecting the lights to arrive within the next day or two.

To Vote Here

Henry Wisdon, of Court street, is in receipt of a letter from his son, Charles Wisdon, in which he tells of his intention to return home and vote election day. Charles writes that he is well pleased with his new surroundings in Cleveland where he is now employed at his occupation as a stationary engineer.

Hustling Paving Job

The S. Monroe & Son Company's forces are steadily pushing work on the new West Side road paving job. They expect to begin laying brick next Monday.

On Sad Errand

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cable and two children of Waterloo, Lawrence county, are here to attend the funeral of Mr. Cable's father, the late Charles Cable.

Granted Alimony

Maud Springer was allowed \$2 per week alimony from Frederick Springer, Wednesday, in common pleas court by Judge Thomas.

George W. Sheppard represented the petitioner and Milner, Miller and Seal the defense.

Garage Busy Place

T. W. Fickling's auto garage at Front and Jefferson streets is one of the busiest places in the West End at the present time. "We are simply over-rushed with work," said Mr. Fickling Wednesday.

Goods Shipped

L. C. Peel & Co. are shipping the household effects of Dr. S. P. Peltier to Paintsville, Ky. and those of his mother to her future home in Petersburg, Va.

New Barber

Ollie Fessler has taken a position at W. O. Horn's barber shop on Market street.

To Neill Property

Jake Simon has moved his shoe repair shop from the Nash property on Second street to one of the Neill buildings on Third street near Market.

First quality work at reasonable prices. Brehmer, the Painter.

GIRLS! WOMEN! TAKE CASCARETS IF CONSTIPATED

They Live Your Liver and Bowels and Clear Your Complexion.

Don't Stay Headachy, Bilious With Breath Bad and Stomach Sour.



Tonight sure! Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Cascarets will live your liver and clean your thirty feet of bowels without gripping. You will wake up feeling grand. Your head will be clear, breath right, tongue clean, stomach sweet, eyes bright, step elastic and complexion rosy—they're wonderful. Get a 10-cent box now at any drug store. Mothers can safely give a whole Cascaret to children any time when cross, feverish, bilious, tongue coated or constipated—they are harmless.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Oct. 25.
 Observations taken at 8 a. m. with Meridian Time.

	Wind	Temp.	Bar.	Humid.	Clouds
Franklin	15	1.5 F	-0.3		
Greensboro	18	9.1 F	-0.4		
Pittsburgh	22	5.7 F	-0.1		
Dan No. 12	36	5.7 F	-0.8		
Zanesville	25	8.1 F	-0.1		
Parkersburg	36	9.5 F	-0.5		
Charleston	38	7.4 F	-0.5		
Pt. Pleasant	40	7.0 F	-1.6		
Huntington	50	9.0 F	-1.4		
Catlettsburg	50	10.0 F	-1.0		
Portsmouth	50	12.6 F	-1.2		
Cincinnati	50	14.4 F			

FORECAST
 Rain over upper Ohio valley tonight and possibly in extreme eastern portion Thursday. River at Portsmouth will probably fall.
 F. B. WINTER,
 River Observer

The Ohio river was 12.6 ft. and falling here Wednesday morning. All of the Greene Line packets are running behind schedule time, making it impossible to definitely announce the time of arrivals and departures for Thursday. Capt. William Boy has laid up the packet Greyhound indefinitely pending efforts to obtain a suitable crew for her. The packet Mildred Runyon, which is undergoing extensive repairs at the local dock, is expected to resume her place in the Portsmouth-Rome trade Saturday afternoon.

Not "Our" Joe King

Joe King, a West End young man, has been subjected to considerable joshing over the arrest of a youth of similar name and who was fined in police court Tuesday. Joe wants the public to understand that he is not the King referred to. The youth who was arrested hailed from Columbus and was on a hobo trip to Virginia.

Goes East

Manager Ledford, of the Gold Bond Premium Company, has gone East on a business trip.

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 Equipped with the most modern and up-to-date printing machinery.
 Unexcelled Linotype Service
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 First Class Service
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WHO IS TO BLAME?

Before you find fault with your children for low marks at school make sure that you yourself are not to blame. No child can be expected to study well with weak, tired eyes. The only safe way is to have your children's eyes tested at regular intervals. We have made a specialty of caring for children's eyesight, and you will find our prices moderate and our work dependable.

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ECLIPSE RED ROOF PAINT

Mixed with pure Linseed Oil, worth \$1.25 per gallon.
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 Per gallon \$1.50 One-fourth gallon . . . 45c
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R. S. Prichard, 926 Gallia Street
W. J. Friel, 734-736 Fifth Street
F. E. Bower, 1102-1106 Ninth Street
Independent Taxi Co., 1207 Ninth
H. S. Howe, 1628-30 Gallia Street
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THE GREATEST
EARTHLY GIFT
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Diamond Supremacy

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We have been in business in Portsmouth almost four years, and during that length of time we can truthfully say that we never knowingly misrepresented an article. We do not have to resort to any questionable tactics in order to sell our Diamonds. Many people wonder why it is that we sell them for less. The answer is simple—WE BUY IN SUCH LARGE QUANTITIES, PAY SPOT CASH, AND EXERCISE EXPERTNESS IN THE SELECTION OF OUR STONES. Right now you can see as large assortment at this store as is carried by stores that may be classed as five times as large as any jewelry store in the city of Portsmouth.

The best we can say for our diamonds is: Compare them with any diamonds in the world at the price—ask any Crescent customer—bring along an expert if you desire—try them in every way—notice the sparkle under all conditions, see their clearness, the expert mountings—we are ever ready to leave the question to you.

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WAR

(Continued From Page One)

eral Nivelle, the commander of Verdun, that he give himself more elbow room. With that end in view infantry was sent up to reinforce the French and artillery was ordered for the establishment of new batteries. The aviation department was commissioned to make an exhaustive survey of the positions of the German batteries and points of assembly.

This work was carried out and the secret was kept so well that to all appearances the Germans never had an inkling of what was in prospect. Furthermore they evidently believed the energies of the French were being absorbed by the battle of the Somme and made no preparations to meet a thrust at Verdun. Thus it came about that what was intended for a small maneuver became a brilliant tactical success.

The attack was planned for ten days ago. Artillery began preliminary work but rainy weather set in and grand headquarters ordered a postponement. When the

time came the attack was delivered by four columns of a division each, first on the left between the southern slopes of Popper Hill and Thiaumont farm. This met with little difficulty. The attackers carried Thiaumont work and farm and the Haudent quarries set as the objective and gained the Bras-Douaumont road beyond. There the attackers stopped, having advanced a mile. A second column was a

colonial division under General Mangin from the corps which retook Douaumont Fort last May. The task assigned to it was to take Hill 320, northeast of Fleury and the edge of Caillette Wood. The offensive there was even more rapid on the left wing. General Mangin immediately saw he could advance farther and the commanding officer was therefore informed that preparations had been made to continue the attack. Hill 320 was rushed by troops from Fleury, which approached Caillette Wood through the celebrated ravine of death. They then crossed the wood and reached the approaches of Douaumont Fort. Everywhere the Germans gave way before them. However, the garrison of the fort hurriedly prepared to defend the important point confided to it. French troops surrounded the fort and extended their gains everywhere without an instant's delay. Fatigue parties set to work, turning the defenses so as to be ready to resist attacks west of the fort, the village of Douaumont having been carried at a run and passed beyond.

Meanwhile a stiff struggle went on between the French and defenders of the fort. The Germans refused to surrender and the French killed nearly all of them before they forced their way into the ruins.

Things went equally well on the right. The third column advanced half a mile, reaching the edge of Vaux Pond and carrying the part of the Vaux-Chapitre Woods still held by the enemy, as well as Fumin Wood. The column stopped north of these woods on the outskirts of the village of Vaux.

The fourth column which was ordered to operate in the vicinity of Vaux without taking it followed out the program exactly. It drove out the Germans from Chenois and Laufee Woods, captured Damloup battery and pushing ahead encircled Vaux Fort on the east, south and west so that the defenders have no way of issue except to the north.

Junction Effected By Italians

Paris, Oct. 25.—Italian cavalry from South Albania formed a junction yesterday with cavalry and artillery from the entente forces on the Macedonian front, the war office announced today.

There has been no accurate information heretofore as to the extent of the Italian advance, but it is evident from today's

French announcement that this movement as well as the extension westward of the Macedonian front has been carried forward more rapidly than previous advances had indicated. The entente allies now have an unbroken front across the Balkan Peninsula from the Aegean Sea at the mouth of the Struma river to the Adriatic at Avlona, a distance of 25 miles.

London, Oct. 25.—Although the French communica announcing the recapture by the French of the fort of Douaumont and the Haudent and the smashing of the German line over a four and one-third mile front, north of Verdun, reached London too late for comment in the early editions, all the morning papers comment exultantly in special late editions. The Times says:

"This strike is a severe blow at German prestige and shows the German staff the danger of weakening its lines in the west. The victory will disquiet the enemy, hearten the Russo-Rumanian army and inspire all the Allies with fresh confidence."

Bombard Austrian Military Works

Rome, Oct. 24.—(Via Paris, Oct. 25.)—Squadrons of Italian and French seaplanes have bombarded Austrian military works in three places on the west coast of Istria and escaped unscathed, says an official announcement of the Italian war office today. An aerial battle between the French hydroaeroplanes and Austrian seaplanes in which one of the



How to stop dandruff and loss of hair with Resinol

Here is a simple, inexpensive treatment that will generally stop dandruff and scalp itching, and keep the hair thick, live and lustrous: At night, spread the hair apart and rub a little Resinol Ointment into the scalp gently, with the tip of the finger. Repeat this until the whole scalp has been treated. Next morning, shampoo thoroughly with Resinol Soap and hot water. Work the creamy Resinol lather well into the scalp. Rinse with gradually cooler water, the last water being cold. All druggists sell Resinol Soap and Ointment.

Austrian machines was captured and another fell into a lagoon at Basileghem on the Italian coast near Caorle, also is reported. The Austrian squadrons had been throwing bombs on Caorle.

Germans Admit French Gained

Berlin, Oct. 25.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The war office announced today that an attack made on the Verdun front by the French yesterday gained ground for them. French assaults on the Somme front were without success.

Second Number Of The Lecture Course Friday

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the second number of the high school lecture course will be given in the high school auditorium. James A. Burns, president of Onondaga Institute of Kentucky will give a very interesting lecture on his people, "Burns of the Mountains" as he is known on the lecture platform is said to possess a personality that rivals that of Abraham Lincoln. Prof. Clark Pullerton of the

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Shafer of Railroad street with Mrs. Mary Martin as assistant hostess. All members are urged to be present.

The Main Street Kensington club will give a masquerade party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutchens of Main street Saturday evening. All members are

urged to be present and please masquerade.

Mrs. S. E. Moorhead of Third street who has been suffering with tonsillitis for several days is getting along nicely.

Lamar Smith of the Ohio State Telephone company who has been suffering with tonsillitis for several days resumed his duties Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Harrison of Broadway street was a visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Mrs. F. L. Sikes of Broadway street, was shopping in Portsmouth Wednesday.

M. B. Newman of Buena Vista returned home after spending a few days with his brother W. E. Newman of Center street.

Rev. Ira Stout, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Prichard and children, Lloyd and Temperance motored from Jackson Tuesday to the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Dudley of Short street and spent the day.

Mrs. Zora Todd and daughter Miss Bess of Broadway street were shopping in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Section No. 1 of the Ladies Union of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. James Coryell of Longmeadow Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. All members of the section are requested to be present.

WHEELERSBURG

Will Ranshahous and C. E. Fritz will give a Halloween party at the Ranshahous home on Dogwood Ridge Monday evening, Oct. 31.

Miss Grace Ketter has taken a position as clerk in Howard Preston's grocery on Main street.

Mrs. Hermann Field, of Gophart Station, spent Monday with Mrs. J. C. Mackoy.

Philip Schwamberger has taken a position as clerk in C. E. Fritz's grocery on East Main street.

George Gleim, of near Wheelersburg, who has been suffering with typhoid fever for several weeks, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Steven Hlangen of Waits Station, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherman.

The young people of the German Evangelical church will give a chicken supper Thursday evening, October 26. Menu: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, lettuce, pickles, bread, butter, jelly, ice cream, cake and coffee. 24-25

Miss Barlow Resigns
Miss Helen Itanow has resigned her position as stenographer in the office of R. Stanley Prichard.

THE BIG SHOW

COME IN UNCLE! THIS GENT BEATS ALL MY MOLLYCODOLES MONEYFUGGLERS, PUSSYFOOTS AND WHISKERED BIRDS THAT EATS NITS

HE AINT GOT A LEG TO STAND ON LAST APPEARANCE THE BIG FADE-AWAY Nov 7th

HUH! HE'S GOT NOTHING ON YOU!

THE GREAT 20th CENTURY PUZZLE

MARVELOUS MYSTERY THE MAN WITHOUT AN ISSUE

ADMISSION FREE! WE DON'T WANT YOUR MONEY-WE HAVE MONEY TO BURN-THAT'S ALL WE HAVE GOT

DO YOU WANT WAR?

Satisfy!—that's a new thing for a cigarette to do

It's nothing for a cigarette to just taste good—lots of cigarettes may do that. But Chesterfields do more—they satisfy! Just like a thick, juicy steak satisfies when you're hungry.

Yet, with all that, Chesterfields are MILD!

No other cigarette can give you this new enjoyment (satisfy, yet mild), for the good reason that no cigarette maker can copy the Chesterfield blend—an entirely new combination of tobaccos and the most important development in cigarette blending in 20 years.

Leggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

"Give me a package of those cigarettes that SATISFY!"

Chesterfield CIGARETTES 20 for 10¢

They SATISFY! and yet they're MILD

Colonel Roosevelt said at Battle Creek on October 1, discussing the Lusitania: "You ask me what I would have done? I would have seized every interned German ship."

Such rash and reckless action by Mr. Roosevelt would have precipitated immediately an unnecessary and bloody war between the United States and Germany.

Governor Willis said in his Greenlawn cemetery speech at the Union Memorial services:

"Some will say that this (referring to the Mexican trouble) does not mean war—if it does not it ought to."

And yet some Hughes spell binders will say that it required no effort upon President Wilson's part to keep us out of war.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

G. L. GABLEMAN, Chairman

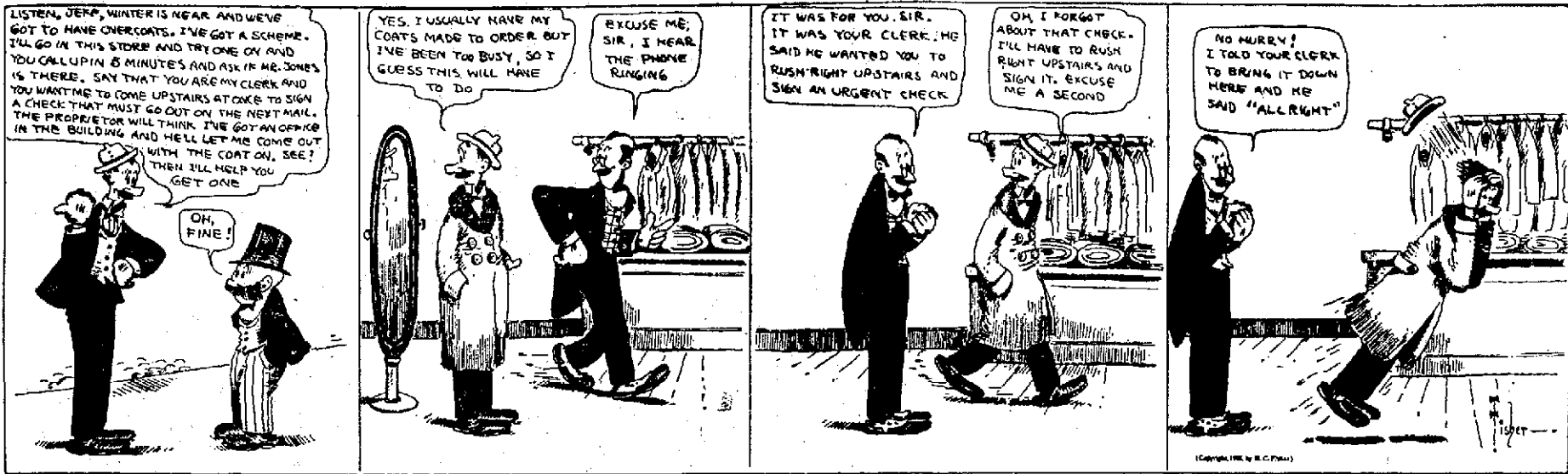
WM. WEST, Secretary.

[Political Advertisement]

MUTT AND JEFF

OF COURSE, JEFF HAD TO SPILL THE BEANS.

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By BUD FISHER Sentenced To Pen

An indeterminate sentence to the Ohio penitentiary was given to Walter Ridout Wednesday by Judge Thomas. Ridout was indicted on a charge of abandoning a legitimate child.

Bettis Family Moves Here

Edward Bettis and mother of Bluefield, W. Va., have moved to this city, having purchased a home on Twelfth street, which they occupied this week.

Lucien Doty Is Pictured

The current issue of the Shoe Retailer, published in Boston contains a splendid likeness of Lucien Doty, sales manager of the Selby Shoe company. Mr. Doty is known by shoe salesmen from coast to coast.

Opens Restaurant

George Jeffords who all summer operated a lunch wagon in York Place is now conducting a restaurant on Gay street between Gallia and Sixth streets.

Jim Is Planning

Jim Hall, a popular barber at Charles Sperry's shop, is planning a fishing trip to Sun Fish, Pike county within the next few days. He expects to make the trip on his new motorcycle.

Abdon Is Better

Farris Abdon, of Fullerton, who had his skull fractured Saturday while engaged in a fight in New Boston, was reported slightly better at his home in Fullerton today. He is conscious only at times and is far from being out of danger.

On Business

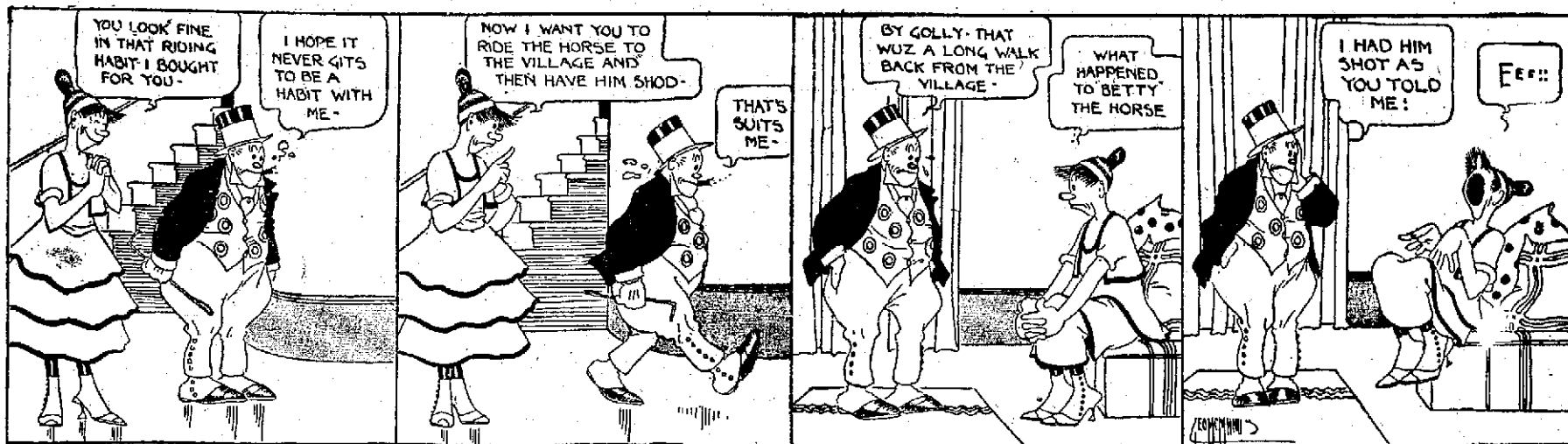
Samuel Horechaw and son Joseph were business visitors in Chillicothe Wednesday.

WM. C. ZELLER

Piano tuner of Cincinnati, Ohio, is here. Leave orders at J. B. Gilson music store, 616 3rd St., or at the Baldwin piano store, 322 Chillicothe, Phone 463-X. 23-3t

BRINGING UP FATHER

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By GEORGE McMANUS

Miss Martha McGhee In An Auto Accident

The Wellston Sentinel says: "Late Monday afternoon, the machine belonging to L. C. Voglesang and driven by A. W. Sadler, while making a return trip from Jackson skidded and went over a small embankment near Poore's school house on the Jackson-Berlin pike.

car too much to the side of the road, a front wheel sinking in the soft mud at the side led the heavy car over the embankment causing it to leave the pike. He threw on the emergency brake and the machine was almost at a stand still but its weight caused it to make one complete revolution.

"The other occupants were

Misses Martha McGhee, Catherine Carraci and Harry Carraci, who fortunately escaped without serious injury. All were badly bruised and Miss McGhee's right leg was strained. They were brought home by a passing automobile.

"The engine of the machine was not hurt but the body was completely wrecked."

AMBITION SALTS

Gives You A Clear Head and a Good Appetite In the Morning.

You need these to start with. You can't do business right if you start the day wrong. AMBITION SALTS is the great rectifier of mistakes of eating or drinking the night before. If you dine "not wisely but too well" take AMBITION SALTS before going to bed. You will wake up in the morning with your head clear, your stomach feeling fine, your eyes bright with the sparkle of health and energy. You will enjoy your work and do it well.

AMBITION SALTS is pleasant to take, acts quickly, no pain or discomfort.

A large bottle at Wurster Bros. for only fifty cents and it is guaranteed to be the finest sort of remedy at all times for indigestion, headache, biliousness, constipation, acid stomach, sluggish liver, kidney troubles and malaria. It drives uric acid from the system, makes the blood pure—and pure blood means health.

Your money back on the first bottle purchased from Wurster Bros. if you are not satisfied. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid, by the Wendell Pharmaceutical Company, Inc., Syracuse, N. Y., manufacturers.

ANSWER FILED IN FOOD WALL CASE

Cincinnati, Oct. 25.—In its answer to the patent infringement suit of Frank A. Bone, Cincinnati, inventor, vs. The City of Portsmouth, Ohio, the city attacks the validity of the Bone patent covering alleged improvements in retaining wall construction, and says the patent sets out nothing that was not known and in public use long prior to Bone's application for a patent.

The city also says if there is a retaining wall constructed by it which contains any invention such as covered by the Bone patent, it is the retaining wall erected along the Ohio river for flood prevention, any destruction of which, as prayed for by Bone, would interfere seriously with the business, safety and protection of the public.

MR. PATTERSON HAS NEW JOB

The following concerning a well-known former Portsmouth citizen and county official is from a Charleston, W. Va., paper:

"T. C. Patterson, who has been secretary of the Charleston Business Men's Association for several months, yesterday tendered his resignation, to take effect immediately.

Mr. Patterson has accepted a position with a local audit company and entered upon his duties yesterday morning. Until his successor is elected the duties of secretary will be performed by Miss Vera Mullens, who has heretofore acted as Mr. Patterson's stenographer."

BEE TREE WAS HONEY MINE

Sixty pounds of clear white honey was extracted from a bee tree in Madison township by Hobart McDaniels, according to the Republican candidates who were in that vicinity Tuesday afternoon calling on acquaintances.

IT IS TO "LAFF; ANOTHER POLL

And the straw vote continues to hold the center of the local political stage.

Still another was taken in the Hammer Club Wednesday and it favored Wilson 6 to 3.

President Henry Faivre

says a well known wholesaler stopped him on the street last night and told him to vote him as a Hughes supporter at today's poll, but he and Mr. Faivre were the only Hughes men in the former's shop when said poll was taken. Oh, you President Wilson.

MR. BARLOW CARTOONED IN PAPER

The Times is in receipt of a copy of the special convention number of The Federal, the official organ of the Federal Life Club of the Federal Life Insurance Company. It gives a complete and interesting account of the fifth annual meeting of the club held last month at the American hotel, St. Louis. Gus B. Barlow, of Columbus, formerly of Portsmouth, has usual played an active part in the affair, he being one of the "live at Mineral Springs.

wires" of the organization. Mr. Barlow was also cartooned in the convention paper as seated upon a throne and wearing a regal diamond-studded crown. He was given the title of The Renewal King. His motto, "To have and To Hold," was also shown in the sketch.

Returns Home

Alfred Butz has returned from a two weeks' visit to his old home in Mineral Springs.

Street Row Will Come Up Again

City council will meet in adjourned session tonight to take up again the so-called Zaph controversy and try to bring about an understanding between all parties interested to the end that Twentieth street may be opened through past Sunset avenue.

Are Playing Stock Market

"There are more people in this city playing the stock market these days than in the history of the city," said a local business man today.

"I keep in touch with the markets and the other day when I called upon a Cincinnati broker to buy a steel stock he told me I would have to come in my turn, there being 16 Portsmouth calls for that day ahead of me. And I understand there have been a good many splendid buys made here."

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, April 1, 1916.—J. Frank Taggart, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the State Life Insurance Company, located at Indianapolis, in the State of Indiana, has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, applicable to it, and is authorized during the current year to transact in this State its appropriate business of making insurance on the lives of or against accidents to persons, or sickness, temporary or permanent physical disability and insurance connected therewith and appertaining thereto, and granting, purchasing and disposing of annuities. Its condition and business on the thirty-first day of December of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by its statement, required by law, to be as follows: Aggregate amount of available assets, \$16,245,428.84; aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including reinsurance, and special accumulations, \$12,729,136.67; general surplus on policyholders account, \$2,560,292.17; amount of income for the year, \$1,541,467.23; amount of expenditures for the year, \$1,099,287.31. In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written (text.) J. Frank Taggart, Supt. of Ins.

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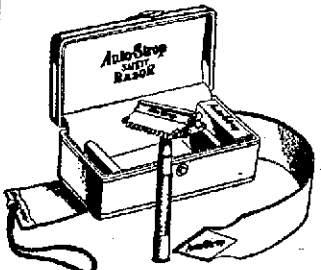
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Michigan And Syracuse Clash On Saturday; Gridiron News

Yost Will Have Best Men In Game Saturday

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 25.—Ice cream for dinner yesterday was the reward that Trainer Harry Tuttle of the Wolverines bestowed upon his gridiron warriors in return for their fine work against the M. A. C. eleven. No home game was ever received with more heartfelt gratitude. Yost, in the meantime, is aglow with satisfaction, but his tribute will come in the form of a week of hard work, for Syracuse looms ahead. Yost is convinced that the Syracuse team are going to present some line-men for Wieman, Weske and Boyd to battle with that will far outshine the efforts of the Aggies' forward wall. The three Wolverines named had their hands full Saturday, and for this reason they are going to get some careful instructions during the next five days. Sharpe is scheduled to be back at right half for the Syracuse clash, and Trainer Tuttle will permit him to do some light work this week now that his double "charley horse" is causing him no serious worry. This will give Yost the most powerful set of ground gainers that he is able to collect. "Pat" Smith had no opportunity to do his customary ground gaining against M. A. C. but he performed the feat of making a full game on Perry field, his first in his varsity career. This may mean that Yost will have his best men available during the entire game with the orangemen.

Big Scores Being Made

New York, Oct. 25.—With the football season reaching the halfway mark, team scores and individual scores are mounting up rapidly. The totals for five and six games reaching large proportions in some cases. Among the larger institutions Vanderbilt leads with 190 points, Syracuse is second with 190, Creighton of Washington and Jefferson, is third with 10.

Class To Take Up Athletics

Ever progressive, the Loyal Men's class of the First Christian bible school, have hit upon a popular scheme for the coming winter. They propose to have something doing every Monday night of the year and will lay particular emphasis upon athletic sports, such as wrestling, boxing and bar performances. They met last Monday evening and the chief feature of their well enjoyed program was a wrestling bout between Asa Henderson and Prof. Thompson, the former winning the match in two out of three falls. The two gladiators expect to stage another bout in the church gym next Monday evening, while on the following Monday one of them will meet an "unknown." The bout was a pretty clever exhibition, Asa Henderson being a pupil of Charles Riegler, the light-heavyweight champion wrestler of the world. Any one who desires to witness these exhibitions is cordially invited to attend them.

News From Wisconsin Camp

Madison, Wis., Oct. 25.—Reports that Eber Simpson's injuries, sustained in the Wisconsin-Baskett game, would prevent his playing right halfback in the Chicago contest here next Saturday, have been denied by his physician. The doctor, upon careful examination, reported that Simpson merely developed a "charley horse" and that he is in good condition. All the other Wisconsin players came through Saturday's game without injury. Thoroughly disgusted with the Rangers' performance in the Indian contest, Coach Wilmington intimated that there will probably be several changes in the lineup of the first team before the Maroon game. A decided weakness at right end was the greatest disappointment.

Huntington Defeated

Ironton, Oct. 25.—Ironton's duck artists defeated a Huntington team of crack duck pin bowlers last night on the Central alleys by the narrow margin of 22 pins.

Attended Meeting
Drs. W. D. and O. R. Micklethwait, S. S. Haldeman, J. D. Jordan, W. A. Quinn, A. R. Moore, O. D. Tatje and J. S. Rardin attended the council meeting of the Ohio State Medical Association in Columbus, Monday.

BOWLING

The following scores were made by players in the Crystal Palace League at the Crystal Palace alleys in the East End, Monday evening:

EMPIRES	1st	2nd	3rd
Dall...	130	167	155
Smith...	123	143	149
Hughes...	126	135	202
Lawrey...	125	89	139
Carver...	120	134	136
Totals...	603	669	781
ELCOES	1st	2nd	3rd
Chaffin...	169	120	140
Ward...	152	150	154
Bruno...	113	110	177
A. Putz...	95	147	116
Aldridge...	175	153	181
Totals...	719	755	747
PIONEERS	1st	2nd	3rd
Wilhelm...	163	141	165
Ward...	106	173	130
Bartman...	122	128	200
Hartledge...	115	125	178
Reider...	125	127	114
Totals...	702	709	807
PUFFINBERG FIVE	1st	2nd	3rd
Bellon...	120	108	152
Lambert...	129	178	120
Burkhart...	105	115	110
Bullock...	126	127	116
Benjamin...	136	162	153
Totals...	677	708	651

Boy Scout Games

Three fast games were pulled off last night among the scouts, with a record-breaking attendance. Judging from the work put up by the players last night the Boy Scout league will be much faster this year than it was last.

EAST ENDERS CALL BEFORE TIGERS
The Tigers and East Enders, ancient rivals, met last night in their first basketball game of the season. The Tiger boys won out by the score of 18 to 11. The first half ended with the East Enders in the lead 5 to 4. In the last half Turner's brilliant work brought the Tigers from behind and capped the game. The lineup:

Tigers	East End
Edwards...	RF...
Hopkins...	LF...
Forner...	C...
Wagner...	RG...
Muller...	LG...
Field Goals—Williams 3, Dunn 2, Forner 2, Edwards 2, Hopkins 1, Wagner 1, Foul Goals—Dunn, Referee—Williams.	

EAGLES SOME GLASSY BUNCH
The Eagles, who occupied cellar all last season in the Boy Scout league, showed that they are of a different stripe this season, leading from last night's game when they cleaned up on a fast All Star team 13 to 7. Blake and Moon featured with fast plays. The lineup:

Eagles	All Stars
Blake...	RF...
Moon...	LF...
Bellamy...	C...
Knowles...	RG...
Walker...	LG...
Field Goals—Blake 3, Moon 2, Williams, Forner, Muller, Foul Goals—Bellamy, Blake 2, Williams, Referee—Wagner.	

WILL HAVE FOUR LEAGUES
With increased membership in the sports as well as increased number of boys going out for basketball teams there will be not less than 4 leagues this season and probably 5. Close to a hundred boys were out last night at 2 gymnasiums trying out for scout teams. This will undoubtedly be the greatest basketball season the scouts have had. Most of the work will be under the supervision of H. W. Wagner. On next Tuesday the big game will be the one between the East End and the Eagles.

Will Play Series

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Giants Trim Ironsides, Bald Eagles Are Victors, Masonic League Opened

GAMES THIS WEEK
Thursday Evening—Submarines vs. Spiders, alleys 4 and 5.
Friday Evening—Tory Knobs vs. Cement Specialists, alleys 2 and 3; Corn Shuckers vs. Rexalls, alleys 4 and 5.

With a whoop and a yell the Masonic Bowling League for 1916-17 opened the season at the Plymouth alleys last night, before a well filled and enthusiastic lobby. The old-time spirit that has characterized this organization from its very inception was in evidence, the players being delighted at the chance to again match wits, skill and luck on the shining alleys. As a result of the evening's fun the Giant Killers, led by their new captain, Charles Daehler, walloped the re-vamped Ironsides two out of three, with Charles Zoellner's Bald Eagles gave the Clod Hoppers a similar dose on alleys 4 and 5.

All the old-time fire was in evidence and the games were hotly contested. Some of the players showed by their exhibition, that they had dimmed their optics, a condition that will soon be overcome with a little practice. However, the best of fellowship prevailed and all present had one of the most enjoyable evenings of their lives. Captain Daehler of the Giant Killers made a ten strike when he succeeded in wooing George Wilhelm into his camp. Originally Mr. Wilhelm was a Giant, but in an attempt to strengthen the Corn Shuckers last season he was hunted to them. Captain Stittmeyer of the Corn Shuckers, gladly consented to the transfer of Wilhelm to the Giants who now present a formidable front and who have visions of the pennant.

It would be cruel indeed to refer to some of the poor scores made last night, owing to the fact that some of the players had hardly seen a mineralite since the close of last season. A little later on, however, all scores will be dealt with according to their proportion. At that, the Giants and Clod Hoppers turned in two respectable scores.

HORRORS, GIRLS PLAYING HOCKEY

Delaware, Oct. 25.—Girls at Ohio Wesleyan University are playing field hockey. Bruised shins and cold, crisp autumn weather have no terrors for the feminine folk who are attacking this newly introduced English sport. The student body saw the Yellow team trim the Red by a 2 to 1 score recently. Mary K. Ceyer, of Xenia and Dorothy Fisher, of London, were captains in this game which was a starter for what may develop into an intercollegiate sport for women in Ohio colleges.

Ed Leach, anchor man of the Clod Hoppers had high average for the evening and incidentally turned in the highest score, 187. Captain Daehler of the Giants, came through with 176 in one of his games and gave a concrete example of why he was named captain. The scores:

GIANTS	1st	2nd	3rd
Wilhelm...	121	161	163
Lemon...	150	119	136
Baker...	128	130	128
Rekey...	109	107	155
Sherridan...	155	107	155
Daehler...	176	136	135
Totals...	663	782	710

IRONSIDES	1st	2nd	3rd
Gordon...	121	100	150
Moore...	112	103	107
Conliffe...	119	114	161
Millard...	127	111	129
Clare...	170	147	126
Totals...	679	616	675

BALD EAGLES	1st	2nd	3rd
Shaw...	131	121	162
Selby...	125	88	117
Zoellner...	150	113	146
Patton...	151	117	120
Hark...	120	152	137
Totals...	678	691	682

CLOD HOPPERS	1st	2nd	3rd
Jackson...	123	131	129
Scudder...	130	116	118
Wilhelm...	131	140	112
McCoy...	120	171	142
Leach...	162	157	150
Totals...	678	769	657

To Fourth Street
Mrs. Anna Becker has moved from Sixth street to 1531 Fourth street.

To the Hilltop
Henry Bradford and children have moved from Gay street to 1829 Oakland avenue.

Levinsky Wins Fight

Boston, Oct. 25.—Battling Levinsky, of Bridgeport, Conn., claimed the light heavyweight championship of America last night after outpointing Jack Dillon of Indianapolis in a 12-round bout. The referee's decision was undisputed.

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When going east use the "New York Special", leaving at 11:07 A. M. arriving New York 8:39 A. M. Information cheerfully furnished at C. & O. office, 202 Chillicothe Street Phone 18.

LEGAL NOTICE


Mary L. Holden will take notice that on the 12th day of September, 1916, she, Charles W. Holden filed his certain petition against her for divorce in the County of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, and cause number 124 upon which he is hearing in said court on and after 10 weeks from the time of the first publication hereof.

CHARLES W. HOLDEN,
N. B. Gulland, Attorney.

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MILNER, MILLER & REAR,
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SOCIETY

Local friends of Crawford Bourgholtzer, son of Mrs. Louise Bourgholtzer, of Court street, will be surprised to hear of his marriage to Miss Martha E. Shaffer, the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. Wilson H. Shaffer, of 813 Fairy street, Easton, Pa. The wedding was solemnized in New York on August seventh last, at the Church of the Transfiguration (Episcopal), also known as the "Little Church Around the Corner," the Rev. John Forbes Mitchell officiating. The happy young couple sought to have their marriage kept a secret until November first, when their cosy apartments on Eighty-sixth street, New York City, would be ready for occupancy, but friends in Easton, who recently visited Goshen, learned that their license had appeared in all the New York dailies and they lost no time in spreading the glad tidings to friends and relatives of the bride, who, when told of the news, finally "fessed up." Miss Emma Bourgholtzer, a sister of the groom, visited her new sister-in-law in Easton the latter part of August, and also her brother in New York, but never suspected they were married. She knew of their engagement, but did not think they were to be married quite so soon. Mr. Bourgholtzer is a splendid young man, and has rapidly risen to a position of prominence in the business world. Until a few years ago he was employed in the office of the Whitaker-Gieseler company in this city. Later he accepted a more lucrative position with a large steel mill in Easton, and last spring he received and accepted a flattering offer from the United States Steel Corporation, with headquarters in New York City. His charming bride is one of Easton's most popular young women.

Meet Me At Ny's Pannthm. 12th

The Religious Committee of the Y. W. C. A. will give a musical Thursday evening, October 26th, at the home of Mrs. Alan Jordan for the benefit of mission work in India. The program follows:

Violin—"Tyrannus" by D. Allar—Miss Tedora White.

Vocal—"Judith" by J. Concone—Mrs. T. H. Magge.

Reading—Selection—Mary Cary—Miss Katherine Dawson.

Vocal—"Good Bye"—Testi—Mr. J. Adam Burkel.

Piano—"Impromptu" by Hubert—Mrs. Albert Marting.

Vocal—"Ere Since the Day" by Chantier—Mrs. George Matthews.

Vocal Duet—"Passage, Bird's Feet"—by Hildred—Miss Bertha Staiger and Mr. Watson Gaudard.

Reading—(a) The Idol of the Orchard; (b) The Making of a Cake—Mrs. Wells Crawford.

Three Violins and Piano—March—Miss Alice Blake, Miss Tedora White, Mrs. E. Tener, violin; and Mrs. Hanson at the piano.

Sections 3 and 5 of the Manly Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Lowe, 1942 Hutchins street.

Mrs. Albert Wilhelm will assist the All Saints' choir in the musical service next Sunday evening, when she will play a violin solo.

Miss Addie Vernier has returned from a ten days' vacation which she spent in Columbus, Springfield and Dayton. At the latter place she visited her sister, Miss Mary Vernier, who is in training to be a nurse at Saint Elizabeth Hospital.

The Busy Bee Sewing Circle met at the home of Mrs. Owen Warnock Tuesday evening, October 24. Those present were: Leslie Townsend, Gladys Jenkins, Mollie Barnhart, Amy Townsend and Mrs. Callahan. The hostess was Miss Amy Townsend. Miss Ida Barnhart will entertain next Tuesday evening, Oct. 31, at the home of Mrs. Owen Callahan, 541 Seventh street.

The Otterbein Society of the United Brethren church will meet Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. John Voelker, 2032 Eleventh street, over the store. All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome. The assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Maude Knost and Miss Victoria Evans.

The Daughters of Rebekah, at their weekly session Tuesday evening, completed arrangements for a masked social to be held in the Rebekah hall Halloween night, next Tuesday evening. An admission of ten cents will be charged. The Rebekah Reunioning meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Glick, 1007 Twelfth street, Friday afternoon.

The G. G. C. will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Shaffer, on Fourth street.

Miss Eleanor Reitz will leave tomorrow for a short visit in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Hutton have returned from a month's visit to the east.

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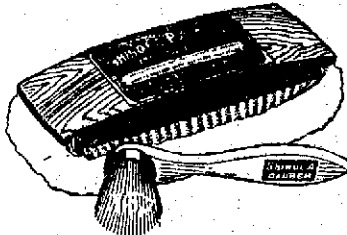
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Dr. and Mrs. Sownds of Greenup enjoyed a motor trip to Iron-ton Tuesday.

J. M. Stockham and family within the next ten days will move into their beautiful new home on the Hilltop. It is receiving its finishing touches.

Miss Elizabeth Smith was hostess at last evening's meeting of Miss Ruth Prey's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school, at her home, 2138 Gallia street. The evening's pleasures ended with delicious refreshments, served to the thirteen members present.

Mrs. Bertha Stewart, wife of Irvin H. Stewart, the well-known Cut-rate druggist of Gallia street, has returned to Columbus for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Baggs returned Tuesday evening from Barnesville, O., where they attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. Baggs' parents. The anniversary was fittingly observed Monday. Relatives and friends from Barnesville, Bridgeport, St. Clairsville and Newark also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moore and two sons, Wilton and Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Veazey and daughter, Elizabeth, and the Misses Anna and Alice Herron and Miss Mabel Kennedy, of Pond Run, visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Ann, of Buena Vista pike, Sunday last.

Misses Addie Collins and Mabel Wheeler have issued invitations to a Halloween party to be given Saturday evening, October 28th, at their home on Seinto Trail.

Ask For—Get The Original **Morlick's Malted Milk**. It's the most nourishing, delicious, digestible, safe milk for infants, invalids and growing children. The Original Food-Drink For All Ages. Each can contains 100% pure milk. Substitutes Cost You Same Price.

CAMEOS

Brooches \$3.00 to \$40.00
La Vallieres \$5.00 to \$35.00
Tie Pins \$3.00 to \$ 8.00
Rings \$4.50 to \$15.00

Select yours now and have it laid away for Christmas. A small deposit will hold it. Our line is complete in every detail. Inspection invited.

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Jeweler and Optometrist
507 Chillicothe Street

Miss Dolly Wise

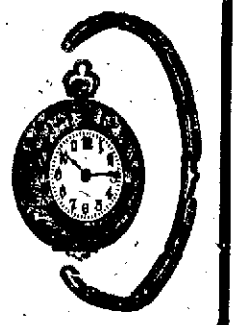
She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, stigmas, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60.

the child can be adopted from MR. AND MRS. ANXIOUS. It would be better for the foster parents to visit the various orphan asylums, children's homes or kindred institutions before adopting a child. These homes and institutions have a set of rules and regulations that must be complied with before they will consent to adoption. I am not familiar with these, but if you will write to the superintendents of the different homes they will be glad to tell you what you will have to do. One of the requirements is that the child be placed in a good Christian home; that the prospective parents are of a good moral character, and that the child will be reared as their own. Very often heartless women attempt to adopt children to make a slave out of them. The little ones are made to wash and scrub, and do all the drudgery about the house. A woman who would do this ought to be sent to the work house. If you want a tiny baby you could probably get in touch with one by writing to the Children's Home in Cincinnati, Columbus or any of the large cities.

Beauty and Serviceability

to make our wristlet watches the ideal and unsurpassed Christmas gift. The bracelet of matchless beauty is combined with the watch of artistic design and a faultlessly accurate movement.

The bracelet watch—the gift superb. See the many different designs in window.
Special For Two Weeks Only
Solid Gold \$10.00
Gold Filled \$7.50



E. J. STAEBLER
Expert Watchmaker and Optician
823 Gallia Street

TIMES SERVICE PATTERN

1793

A NEAT DRESS FOR MOTHER'S GIRL



1793. Brown and white striped gaiters was used in this instance, with belt, collar and cuff facings of white linen. The skirt has smart plait sections over the sides. The waist is joined to the skirt under the wide belt. The pockets may be omitted. The sleeve in wrist length is finished with a deep cuff. In short length a turn-back cuff supplies a smart trimming. The pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. It requires 3 1/2 yards of 44-inch material for a 12-year size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

COUPON

This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc. plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1793. Size Age (for child)
Street and Number
Name
City State

Dear Miss Wise.—Please tell me what is the matter when the wire in an electric iron burns out a few minutes after the iron is lit. I have had the iron for five or six years, but it has only been

A Helpful Confession

Mrs. B. writes: "Had suffered for years with stomach trouble. Could not eat without great distress, lost weight and was run down. Feared it was ulcerated stomach."

"Fortunately I secured a sample of HEMO, which seemed to satisfy my hunger, and was retained without distress. I immediately bought a package and started to take it regularly. I continued to take it once a day and improved steadily. After one year I have gained 33 pounds of good solid flesh and can eat any food with no distress. I can recommend HEMO to all sufferers from stomach or digestive disorders."

Makes a delicious food drink by simply adding water. We suggest that you try a 50c package with our guarantee of satisfaction. Red Cross Pharmacy, Seventh and Chillicothe Streets, Portsmouth.

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Grand Prize, Paris, 1900
The Grand Prize, St. Louis 1904
FLOYD E. STEARNS, Mgr.
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Organs Pianos
D. F. Creekbaum
PIANO TUNER
and factory representative, thirty-seven years in the piano trade. Pianos stacked at my home, 1021 Fourth Street.

DO IT NOW

Plant fall bulbs now, soon the ground will be frozen and then it will be too late. Large 2 1/2 inch bulbs, named colors 8 for 25c
Tulips, single or double, named colors, dozen 20c
Crocuses, per dozen 10c
Chinese Lilly, each 10c
Telephone No. 93 Flood & Blake. Deliveries made to any part of the city.

doing this for the past few weeks.

A READER. The oil is probably burned out of your iron or else it is short circuited somewhere. By this I mean that there may be a piece of wire loose and when this touches the metal it is called a short circuit. An electrician could fix it for you in a jiffy.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a girl 18 years old and have lived happily with my father until this year. My mother died four or five years ago, and for the last year father has been going with a widow who lives in a town not very far from here. He has been going to see her quite regularly, and I think that he intends to marry her, although he hasn't said anything to me about it yet. Do you think I better tell him that if he does anything of that kind I will leave home, or is there any other way that I can prevent it?

ORPHAN GIRL

Why court trouble before it has materialized? There is nothing to worry about until your father takes some definite step. In the meantime, why don't you indirectly bring up the subject so that you can arrive at your father's views. It isn't a good idea to make up your mind that you will be antagonistic to a stepmother without first knowing her. It may be that she would be as kindly and considerate as your own mother. Don't condemn your father prematurely for it may be that he is very lonely when you are away and the friendship and companionship would cheer him up. By insisting that he remain single, you may be exacting a bigger sacrifice than you expect, and selfishly, too.

Dear Dolly—I have a habit of hitting my finger nails, but lately I try to keep from it as I'd like to grow long nails. I notice around each corner of the nail it is shaggy and hard. What causes this, and what will prevent my fingers around the nail from getting sore. Now, Dolly, I'd like to know in tonight's Times how I can grow long finger-nails. Also, is it justly right for a girl to talk to other fellows and walk with them when she has a steady friend whom she has talked to for over a year? I am 21 years old and await your good advice.

"STONESOME PEG."

It might be a good idea to go to a

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles. If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, troubled with undigested foods, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound, mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without gripping, cramps or pain. Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief, so you can eat what you like. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

**SUBTERRANEAN
TORPEDO****Kentucky Carlsbad Springs
Destroys Disease**

Why plod along with the army of sufferers when you can find relief by drinking Kentucky Carlsbad Water and join the army of well and happy who have been restored to health by drinking Nature's True Remedy, Kentucky Carlsbad Springs Water.

We do not make any rash claims for Kentucky Carlsbad Springs Water. There are diseases which it cannot help. There are people in advanced stages of other diseases whom it may help but cannot cure.

We know, however, that hundreds of people afflicted with Bright's Disease, Kidney, Liver, Bladder and Stomach Trouble, Catarrh of the Head and Bowels, and Intestinal Troubles, who have drunk the Water in their own homes, now claim that the cause of their trouble has been removed and their health restored.

We have seen so many cases of this kind and so wonderful have been the effects of Kentucky Carlsbad Springs Water in curing diseases for which it is indicated and so numerous have been the testimonials from sufferers who have been restored to health that we do not hesitate to make the following sweeping guarantee: If you are afflicted with any of the above ailments and will drink Kentucky Carlsbad Springs Water for a period of ten days or two weeks, we or the dealer who sold you the Water, will refund to you all the money you paid for it if you are not satisfied with the results.

All we ask is that, in fairness to yourself as well as to us, you take it according to the directions. Then, whatever you say will be final.

The Kentucky Carlsbad Springs company own and conduct the Carlsbad Hotel and Sanatorium at Dry Ridge, Ky. For rheumatism, to be entirely relieved, it is necessary to bathe in the Water at the Springs, as well as to drink it.

Write for new booklet just issued. Kentucky Carlsbad Springs Hotel Co., Incorporated, Dry Ridge, Ky.

Water on sale by all leading druggists. Distributed by P. J. Davis Drug Co.

**WEST SIDE COLORED MAN
MARRIED TO WHITE WOMAN**

Squire James Piatt, of Buena Vista, is in the city on a visit, having been here since last Friday night when he attended the big Republican rally at Distel's hall.

Squire Piatt, when seen by a Times man, confirmed reports that Cora Gilkerson, a white woman, of Pond Run, had married Harrison Pilsen, colored, on a compromise of a statutory charge she had preferred against him in his court, Tuesday. Pilsen and the woman were accompanied by Constable Andy Sissel to Vanceburg, Ky., where they obtained a license and were married the same day. Pilsen had been doing some work on the road near the Al Turner farm for the county when arrested. He is a son of Henry Pilsen, who for years carried the mails between Portsmouth and Pond Run and who was stricken with paralysis a year ago.

The woman is now living at the Pilsen home. She is the divorced wife of a teamster who is employed with a Portsmouth contractor. At the court house in Vanceburg it was stated in answer to an inquiry from The Times that both the man and woman were white.

**Takes Job
Here**

Clarence Gesswein, who for several years has been employed as salesman for the A. J. Brumberg Clothing Co., of Ironton, has accepted a similar position with Edelson Bros., formerly known as the New Idea Clothing Co., 206 Chillicothe street. Mr. Gesswein comes highly recommended as a finished clothing man and will no doubt make Mr. Hammel, manager of the company, a splendid man.

Pensions Granted
Among latest persons to whom pensions have been granted at Washington, D. C., are Rebecca Bishop, of Buena Vista; Sarah Lang and Mary M. Allison, of Manchester; Mary J. Shirely, of West Union; Margaret E. James, of Ironton; Mary E. Young, Mt. Olivet, Ky.

**Arrange Program
For Installation**

Following is the order of service for the installation of the Rev. M. S. Bush, M. A., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, October 26, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock, by the Presbytery of Portsmouth, the Rev. D. Nicholson, Moderator Presbytery, presiding:
Organ Prelude.
Presbytery constituted by the Moderator.
Hymn.
Scripture—Rev. B. B. Cartwright, of the Central Presbyterian church, Portsmouth, O.
Prayer—Rev. S. D. Conger, Portsmouth, Ohio.
Male Quartette.

Sermon—Rev. W. H. Christian, Georgetown, Ohio.
Constitutional questions, official installation and installation prayer—Rev. D. Nicholson, Moderator Presbytery, Soaman, Ohio.
Male Quartette.
Charge to the pastor—Rev. George P. Horst, D. D., Second church, Portsmouth, Ohio.
Charge to the people—Rev. E. B. Townsend, Ironton, Ohio.
Burning the mortgage of the fund indebtedness on the church and Bible school building—Mr. Lucien M. Doty, President Board of Trustees.
Doxology.
Benediction—Rev. M. S. Bush.

Dynamite Dropped

Draymen and everybody about the N. & W. freight depot at Gallia and Lincoln streets were given the scare of their lives when one of the freight hustlers carelessly dropped a box of dynamite Monday morning.

The box fell from his shoulder but while it burst open the dynamite inside

failed to explode. The box fell alongside a car containing fully two tons of dynamite. Had an explosion occurred there is no telling what the result might have been. The freight hustler was promptly discharged for his recklessness, it being a strict rule of the company not to carry explosives in the manner he had.

S. R. O. At City Jail

The city jail will not hold all the prisoners.

For several days all the women prisoners have been removed to the county jail to make room for

male prisoners in the city coop. Mary Jones and Martha Callaway were the names given by two prisoners lodged in the county jail by the local police late Tuesday night.

Ollie James In Ashland

United States Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, who may be heard in the local campaign, will deliver a political address in Ashland tonight.

**Rooms Engaged Before
The Building Is Erected**

H. A. Bierley, a local real estate dealer, is the first person to engage rooms in the new Security

bank building to go up on Gallia street.

Meeting Mr. George D. Selby at the site of the new building Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Bierley said: "Mr. Selby, I want you to save me two nice rooms on the Sixth street side of your bank building."

"All right, Mr. Bierley, yours is the first application and we will save the rooms for you," Mr. Selby replied.

The work of razing the buildings on the bank site will be completed this week. Plans for the new \$100,000 structure will be turned out in a few days by Architects Ritter and Bates.

To Give Minstrel

Monday's Ohio State Journal said:

"Minstrelsy by Columbus men and staged, not by out-of-town producers out by home producers, is promised for Oct. 30 and 31, when Columbus Lodge No. 11, Loyal Order of Moose, will offer their minstrel show at the Hartman Theater. The show, in which 50 local men will take part, will be produced by George J. and Charles C. Sank and Steve Herrian."

The Sank boys and Mr. Herrian recently put on a minstrel here for the Geeks.

To Install Orchestra

Within the next few days J. F. Potts of the Temple theatre will have installed in the East End theatre a Wurlitzer Orchestra, a music instrument that will be an exact duplicate of the Orchestra in the Arcana theatre, also run by Mr. Potts.

**Mrs. Lena Kah
New President**

At the semi-monthly meeting of River City Grove, W. O. W. Circle Tuesday evening, Mrs. Lena Kah was elected manager in the place of Mrs. Sarah Timberlake, who has moved to Cincinnati. Mrs. Kah will fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Timberlake.

**Let No One Be Deceived
By The Claim That
President Wilson
Kept Us Out of War!**

There never has been a period in all our history when there was less danger of war with foreign countries than during the past two years. The nations now engaged in war have been too busy fighting their own battles to provoke a conflict with the United States.

**The Only Danger of War
Has Been Through The
Muddling of Our Foreign
Affairs!**

But with all the boasted righteousness of keeping the country out of war, the President was not too proud to fight Mexico when it suited his purpose. He drew the sword and invaded Mexico to show that Huerta must go.

HE WAS NOT SERVING HUMANITY WHEN HE GROOMED VILLA TO TAKE HUERTA'S PLACE AND FINALLY ADOPTED CARRANZA AS HIS FAVORITE

At this time practically the entire military strength of the United States is on the border and a considerable force on Mexican soil in pursuit of the aimless effort to catch Villa. The Judge Advocate General of the Army has just given a formal opinion that we are now at war with Mexico.

Mr. Wilson's conduct of Mexican affairs has been fruitless, and not only at the cost of our self respect, but at

THE COST OF THE LIVES OF MORE AMERICANS THAN WERE KILLED DURING THE WHOLE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR

President Cleveland kept us out of war with England by a spirit of Americanism and courage; President Wilson has exposed us to war with foreign countries and actually brought about a state of war with Mexico because he has yielded to timidity and fear.

The Scioto County Republican Executive Com.
JOHN F. ECKHART, Chairman.
D. WILLARD GUSTIN, Secretary.

(Political Advertisement)

NO NIGHT SCHOOL

Night high school in Portsmouth is a thing of the past. The enrollment in the various branches was so light that the first sessions scheduled for Tuesday night were called off.

"I guess they do not want night school here so we have abandoned plans along this line," Supt. Frank Appel stated Wednesday.

NECK SORE FROM "RUBBERING"

Charlie Bennett, of the post-office force, who is up in Columbus on a vacation trip, hobnobbing with Governor Willis and others of the "near great," writes a Times man that he is enjoying every minute of his stay, although he complains of a sore neck—strained in trying to see the top of the tall buildings up above, or "peeking" at the striped scenery below, presumably. Charlie will be back about Nov. 1.

We Want a Business Man

A business man who has selling ability. The man we want may be in the automobile business now; he may be in some other business; he may be a farmer; he may be retired.

Whoever he is or whatever may be his occupation, we want him if he can fulfill the conditions of our proposal.

We are in search of a real, live, wide-awake man, who has had business training, who has some capital, who can sell Maxwell Motor Cars.

We are represented in almost 3000 of the leading cities and towns of the United States, and our dealers are prosperous and happy.

They should be, and will continue to be, for the Maxwell Car is the unquestioned leader of its class.

It is a car for which there is a nation-wide and growing demand—because it represents more real value, dollar for dollar, than any other car in the world.

We have no dealer in this locality. We want one immediately. Our representative will call and explain the details of a very attractive proposition.

Anyone interested should inquire at once.

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Touring Car

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One Chassis

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All Models Completely Equipped—No Extras to Buy

THE ONLY SON

A STORY OF A SON'S LOVE

Last Half
This
Week**SUN THEATRE**Matinees Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday
Phone early for seats. They will be held until 7:45 p. m.Every little detail looked after to give
you the biggest and best high class
royalty productions at popular prices
ever shown in Portsmouth.**Broadway Players****Hearing Of Alleged "Hide"
Robbers Set For Thursday**

Taylor Ferguson, Maurice "Butch" Bertram, John and Pearl Seth, four of the suspects in the N. & W. "hide" robbery, were arraigned in police court Wednesday morning.

All four pleaded not guilty to charges of stealing \$500 worth of hides from the company. Just as Mayor H. H. Kaps proceeded to question the defendants Attorney Frank Moulton on behalf of the Seth brothers told the court that they were not there to give any evidence. "Then you waive ex-

**Meets Aunt For First
Time In Thirty Years**

C. A. Crabtree, well known real estate man of this city, had the extreme pleasure Sunday of meeting his aunt, Mrs. Belle Bowman, of Mabees Corner, whom he had not seen since he was 18 months of age, and he is well beyond his thirtieth milestone now.

Mr. Crabtree, who is an enthusiastic motorist, learned that his aunt was residing at Mabees Corner and he notified her that he would call

to see her. In company with his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munn, the trip was made Sunday, the party first calling on Mrs. Peter Gilliland, of Shady Lane, where a sumptuous dinner was had. Needless to add that the meeting between Mrs. Bowman and her nephew was a most enjoyable one, and the day will ever linger in the memory of both Mrs. Bowman and Mr. Crabtree.

Going Into Transfer Business

Lawrence Flannigan, who was superintendent of the city street cleaning department during the Frick administration, has decided to embark in the transfer business. Mr. Flannigan expects to begin business about Thursday. He will do general hauling and moving of household goods and also crate and ship household effects to all

OFFICERS LEAD OWLS' CONTEST

At the weekly session of the Owls, Monday, the officers' side of the membership campaign was reported still in the lead. A class of 20 candidates will be initiated in two weeks. Literature from the grand lodge pertaining to membership campaigns was distributed at Monday night's session.

**"Corn-Sweet"
is the newest
descriptive word**

in the language—coined by delighted thousands to describe the new, delicious, sweet corn taste of

**(New)
Post Toasties**

No longer need one be content with corn flakes whose chief claim to taste is based on added cream and sugar, for NEW POST TOASTIES have an original, rich flavor (corn-sweet) that places them above and beyond ordinary flakes.

To pleasantly surprise your family, get a package of NEW POST TOASTIES and serve in place of ordinary "corn flakes."

Don't say a word but watch

New Post Toasties

bring the smiles.

—at Grocers everywhere.

**Coal Dealer Frankly
Urges The Use Of Gas**

The unusual spectacle of a coal dealer advising his friends, or particularly ordinary people accustomed to burning coal, to put in gas, presented itself Tuesday. John F. Flannigan is the man who is to the front with such advice. "You can say for me," said he Tuesday, "that this coal proposition is already serious. I realize that it is against my own interests, but I am free to say I don't want many of my customers who for years depended upon me for a supply to do so this winter. Why I'm not making as much money now as when coal was cheap."

Mr. Flannigan said mine operators were now asking \$4 per ton and besides this the dealers were obliged to pay 75 cents per ton freight. "No it's not the fault of the retail dealers, but the operators and those in Ohio are no better than the others. John Capeheart might ease up local conditions somewhat with river coal, but the rest of us are practically out. We would be all right were we able to get coal previously contracted for at lower prices but the operators give us an excuse that they are unable to get cars in which to ship same."

**COMING TO
PORTSMOUTH, O.****Dr. Albert F. Snell**

of Snell's Private Sanitarium of Cincinnati, Ohio, will be in

Portsmouth, O., Two Days
Only, Friday and Saturday,
Oct. 27th and 28th at the
Manhattan Hotel

The doctor treats all Chronic Diseases and Deformities of men, women and children.

Many cases might be saved from a dangerous operation by going under the doctor's treatment.

**All Diseases of Men, Women
and Children Treated**

Cataract, Lung and Stomach diseases are given special attention.

If you have catarrh or lung trouble go and be examined. The sick and afflicted should take advantage of this opportunity here offered. Go and have it forever settled in your mind. If your case is curable, he will tell you so frankly; if incurable he will give you such advice as to prolong life. No sick man or woman should fail to consult this specialist.

If you suspect anything wrong with you and want to get well, let Dr. Snell treat you.

If you have Rheumatism, Nervousness, Dropsy, Obesity, Swelling of the Feet or Hands, Liver Trouble, Paralysis, Heart Disease, Nervous Debility or any wasting disease or weakness, Salivary Gland, Dizziness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Stomach or Bowel Trouble or Epilepsy, go and let Dr. Snell treat you.

TUMORS, Ulcers, Bleeding, Blood, Skin and Scalp Diseases, Piles and Ruptures successfully treated.

Ladies

who suffer from Sick Headache, Malaria, Cholera, Spinal trouble, special diseases, or having any deviations from health, caused by irregularities, weakness, or disease peculiar to women, should consult this specialist.

Ovarian or womb troubles, tumors or enlargements treated without the knife. If you have been advised by any one to undergo a surgical operation for womb or ovarian difficulties, rupture, tumor or piles, do not listen to it and have your life endangered by the lance, knife or needle before consulting this specialist.

Old or Young Men

It matters not what your ailment may be, or how long standing, if your future health and happiness are at stake consult this doctor—specialist.

It matters not what the ill may be; it matters not what discouraging reports may have been made from any direction; it matters not if you have been told that you are incurable. Go and consult this eminent doctor and if there is the faintest thread upon which to hang a hope you will find hope there, with the treatment that will lead you to health, contentment and happiness.

SPECIAL ATTENTION given to Chemical and Microscopic examination of Blood, Urine and Sputum and all patients suffering from Nervous and Mental complications.

Address all communications to

Dr. Albert F. Snell

1054 Wesley Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio.

**C. & O. HAS LOWEST
FREIGHT RATE IN WORLD**

Richmond, Va., Oct. 20.—The 28th annual report of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1916, contains information that this company has the lowest freight rate per ton per mile in the world. That rate in the year ended June 30th last was 3.80 mills; in other words, on the average a ton of freight was carried more than 5 1/4 miles for the price of a two cent stamp or nearly two more miles than on all the other eastern trunk lines, with possibly one exception. The average freight rate per ton per mile, decreased from 3.84 mills in 1915 to 3.80 mills in 1916 or 1%.

Upon the authority of the Railway Age Gazette, it is stated that the C. & O. also enjoys the unique distinction of being the only railway in the United States operating more than two thousand miles of road which has an average train load of more than one thousand tons. During the last year the average revenue train load was 1,003 tons. This is taken to be an indication of high operating efficiency.

The total tonnage of all freight carried in 1916 was 37,620,000, an increase over 1915 of 7,571,000 tons. Coal and coke carried in 1916 was 26,980,000 tons, as compared with 21,926,000 tons in 1915.

The gross operating revenues for the fiscal year were \$48,239,000, an increase of \$8,775,000. Of this amount \$39,080,000 was earned from freight transportation, and \$9,160,000 from passenger, mail, express and miscellaneous.

Passenger traffic proper earned \$5,998,000, being an increase of \$302,000 over 1915. Operating expenses were \$31,789,000, an increase of \$4,233,000.

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**Plan To Strengthen
Men's Bible Class**

What is expected to be one of the most inspiring Sunday school meetings ever held in Portsmouth, is booked at the First Christian church Friday evening of this week, when a plan will be formulated for the strengthening of the men's Bible classes in the Peerless City. The meeting is the outgrowth of a schedule that was launched at a session held at that church several months ago, when the men's class was addressed by John McMillan, at that time president of the Trinity Bible class of men. At that time a committee was named to formulate a plan whereby more men of the city could be interested in Sunday school work.

The plan formulated is to begin a contest between the men and the clerical staff of the church. Some time ago the records showed that upwards of 1500 men were regular attendants at Bible school, while the records now show that the number has dropped to 1000. It is hoped to discover the reason and then plan the work accordingly.

Every teacher, officer, superintendent—in fact every member of every men's class in the city, is cordially invited to attend the meeting Friday night, which will be called to order promptly at 7:30. Come with a suggestion, bring along your enthusiasm and make this one of the best meetings of its kind ever held in the city. A permanent organization will be effected at the meeting, and it is planned to begin a campaign that will live up to the situation and result in more than 2000 men in the Bible school every first day of the week.

(Signed)
COMMITTEE.

Rally On Bear Creek

Judge A. T. Holcomb and Attorney E. G. Millar will address a Republican rally at Taylor's store, Bear Creek, Wednesday evening.

Announcing:

Our two day demonstration of the

**CHAMBERS
Fireless Cooking Gas Range**

—at our store, Wednesday and Thursday of this week; every morning from 9:30 to 11:30, and every afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30.

The Chambers Fireless Cooking Gas Range

Is the wonder stove of the twentieth century. Saves 3-5 of your gas bill; food will not burn, cooks your food better, saves juices and flavors, making the food more delicious. Cooks at full speed even with the gas turned off. Think of it, a steaming hot dinner all ready upon your return from church or an afternoon out in the motor car.

This Stove Will Bake, Boil, Roast, Stew, Broil, Fry and Freeze Ice Cream all at the same time.

You say you don't believe it—well come in and see for yourself. See this FIRELESS COOKING GAS RANGE in actual operation.

Alex M. Glockner

GAY AND GALLIA STREETS

**WANT BIG CROWD ON THE
G. O. P. COLUMBUS SPECIAL**

The Scioto County Republican Executive Committee is making final preparations for the special train, which they will operate over the Norfolk and Western railway to Columbus Monday afternoon. Between one and three hundred local Republicans are expected to make the trip to the Capital City where they will take part in the mammoth torchlight parade in honor of Hon. Charles E. Hughes, Re-

publican candidate for president and will later attend the address, which is to be delivered by Mr. Hughes at Memorial Hall, Broad street. Delegations of Republicans from every county in the state are expected to attend this huge demonstration, which will probably be the last of the campaign in Ohio. The time for the special to leave the city has not been decided upon but John F. Eck-

hart, chairman of the executive committee, stated Wednesday that it would either be 2 or 3 o'clock.

All Republicans expecting to make the trip are asked to either call headquarters, Phone 917, or notify any of the members of the executive committee.

The River City band has been engaged to make the trip with the local delegation.

So Long Ironton, Darkness On Way

Ironton, Oct. 25.—It is very likely that tonight will see Ironton in complete darkness.

No funds have been provided to pay for the cost of street lighting, and Director of Service John Ridge-

way stated last night that there was absolutely no other alternative and that the lights would not go on this evening.

**To Launch State-Wide Bible
Class Movement In Chillicothe**

Chillicothe, Oct. 25.—All is ready for the launching of the state-wide Bible class movement. The program for the meeting of Southern Ohio Bible Classmen here Nov. 10, at which the movement will be formally inaugurated, is arranged. The meeting will be held at Walnut Street Methodist Episcopal church.

The program is one of the biggest of its kind ever held in Ohio. W. C. Pearce, of Chicago, Dr. J. A. Beunert, of Sistersville, W. Va., and Bishop W. F. Anderson, three of the biggest men in the nation's Bible class work, will be present. A. T. Pearce and Dr. Beunert will give addresses. Following the business session, there will be an intermission

for dinner for delegates only at the Warner hotel. Dinner is given by the adult Bible classmen of Ross county. At the evening meeting, beginning at 7:30, there will be addresses by Dr. Pearce and Bishop Anderson.

Portsmouth is to be well represented at this meeting and the delegates to attend will be named shortly.

Goes to Bluefield

R. H. Dyer, local car distributor of the N. & W. returned Tuesday from Cincinnati and left today for Bluefield on a business trip for his company.

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WHICH IS HER FRIEND?

Charles C. Kearns, candidate for congress, is getting the laugh for giving public utterance to the ash heap "argument" that if Wilson were re-elected the local steel mills would close down, when the war ended. Charlie overlooked the simple fact that men with a six million dollar plant would not be right now making a three million dollar addition thereto if the whole investment were immediately likely to be sent to pot in less than three months.

And that reminds us of a thing or two. Shortly after his election in a speech before the local board of trade, declared with much fervidness that he would support President Wilson in the ordeal he was going to pass through and that he would bend his every energy to serving this metropolis of the district in every way possible. As a matter of fact he has never found it patriotic to uphold the hands of the president in anything. His activity appears to have consisted in running away to some horse races in his district whenever a crisis in congress presented itself. For instance the Adamson eight hour bill, when he was away at Batavia, and was, if we recall right, the only Ohio congressman who ducked a vote on that matter so immediately vital to the trade and industry of the country. We can not see that he is serving this city in giving the sanction of his position to mere campaign talk that sets idle the second biggest industry of the city. That story has now traveled all over the country and is doing harm to Portsmouth.

In contrast with his course, his opponent, A. G. Turnipseed visited the city, spent a week therein. Expressions of amazement at its growth, pride that a place of such importance and prospective development was in his district, were constantly in his speech, private and public. Over the district he has told what a wonderful industrial center she was and his belief that she was full-tiding to greatness.

With these facts before her Portsmouth ought not to have much struggle in determining which is her better friend.

THE METROPOLIS BETWEEN

Portsmouth is strongly and steadily marching on to her destined place as the metropolis on the Ohio, between Cincinnati and Pittsburgh. Some will doubt this, some will even deny it—Huntington for instance—but the written and official figures prove it. Resorting to them we find that the registration figures of 1916 show a gain of 798 over those of 1912, the figures for those years being 6,810 and 6,012 respectively. This shows the splendid growth percentage of 3.3 each year. But we should bear in mind that there has been a sloughing off in population, that is bound to come back before another census is taken. This temporary loss has come about in that hundreds of people have moved just outside the city to get a bit more room, but the sections in which they now reside is merely over-the-line expansion and are bound to be included in the corporate limits within a short time. Besides that New Boston, which is actually continuous and Sciotoville is a near suburb, will assuredly within a short time be admitted and these will not only add several thousand, but what is equally important, give room for expansion without that density of population that has ever heretofore characterized the city.

Taking into account these eventualities and the increased ratio of gain for the next four years, over the past six, that is bound to come with the vast enlargement of industries now under way, it appears not at all unreasonable to hold that the census of 1920 will show Portsmouth with a population in excess of 40,000.

Talking about weather, they must not have our kind everywhere. The Times received a ear load of paper this week, and eight rolls were lost entirely through the rain running on them and causing them to burst. That may be designated as the cloud on the silver sky, for believe us paper is worth some money these days and we don't hear a hint of it stopping rising when the war ends.

Are they building any paved roads over on the west side? We haven't heard a solitary kick on it and that makes us fear the belief that they are is but a dream. For what would a paved road or any sort of road, for that matter, be without some indignant and outraged citizen filing objections to it.

Ho, who wouldn't be a farmer these days with wheat in the bin. The cereal jumped to two dollars a bushel in Chicago, Monday.

For modern needs of a modern citizen there should be a modern fire equipment. Efforts of council to supply that need are altogether commendable.

Some old signs of approaching winter, the gravel, mostly sand, spreading over the roads.

United States Steel Common passed preferred, Monday. And didn't we hear some one say something about other mills shutting down, if so and so and this and that happened, which it is going to?

With such weather, peace and local trade breaking all records there is no reason why the people of the Peerless should not be content, and they are.

RISKY BUSINESS



THE WORST IS THE BEST

In the week's perspective of trade and manufacturing, which is sent out every Sunday evening from New York, for publication on Monday, there occurs this sentence: "The worst of this condition is there seems no probability of relief in the near future." The condition referred to is that labor is so far below the demand that orders have to be refused because there is no possibility of increased production, the mills and factories being operated to full capacity with the force obtainable. There was little change to be noted from this to the week previous, the volume of transactions continuing as large as any in the past, with prices still tending upward, this latter feature being regarded as a reflection of the strong position of practically all producers and manufacturers. In fact, producers in many lines were so far short on ability to meet immediate requirements that it was useless to quote prices on future deliveries. In desperation a number of textile plants were scouring the South for colored labor but this promised scant relief.

The real moment of this report is that it comes out of New York, shortly preceding an election and from sources that are not friendly to the administration. Yet, there is no hint in it of dullness and disaster to follow the re-election of Wilson, or the ending of the war. It is the word of business men calmly taking measure of business conditions and setting them forth as they actually are. It is the best argument possible for the re-election of Wilson, this absolute freedom of business from alarm from what is at least better than even chance of taking place. For business is timid and we have seen it becoming affrighted in every previous election over nothing more apparently than the election itself. But it refuses so to become this year and goes on with a bigger and more buoyant stride than it has ever known.

The steadily auto appears to be becoming more deadly. What may we expect with the fulfillment of the manufacturers estimate of five million new cars for next year?

The National Democratic committee asks that its apologies for not supplying the press with the names of all those distinguished Republicans and Progressives turning to Wilson. It says they are coming so thick and fast that it finds it unable to present a list of them all. If it will accept our apology for inability to make a note of all it does send we'll call it square and let it go at that.

We have no idea that Romania begins to entertain the horrible suspicion that she spoke too quick and that there are fates worse even than that of Greece.

Less than two weeks now, but still the country goes right along diligently attending to its knitting.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-M-INTYRE.

New York, Oct. 25—Many years ago when college professors were wondering whether they would have to resign so that they could pursue special courses to catch up with me, I met George F. Breen on a college campus. He was wearing a postage stamp cap and trousers that looked like a county balloon just about to be cut loose from its moorings.

As I remember it, the exact amount that it cost him was a half dollar. Afterward I lost track of him and made no special effort to find him—for, well a half dollar is a half dollar. The other afternoon I ran onto him on Fifth avenue. Or rather he nearly ran across me in an automobile that looked like it had more cylinders than Mr. Carter has pills.

I had heard of him through the newspapers from time to time. He became associated with James O'Brien, the big broker, and in a few short years was taken into the firm. Now he is under 30 years of age and can if he wishes go down to Philadelphia on his week-end and take a good laugh at the mint.

"New York," he says, "presents more opportunities for the young man than any other city, and I have tried many of them. I decided at the start that drinking and smoking were not necessary to my success and might be a barrier and so I eschewed them. I began working 16 and 16 hours a day. I was only a clerk, but my boss soon was attracted to me and kept promoting me until he took me into the firm."

"And by the way," he remarked. "Oh, yes," I cut in "about that half dollar. Here it is now."

He said he had forgotten all about it. That is the way with rich men. A half dollar means nothing in their lives. But he took it just the same.

Kater Caruso, wearing a trimly cut business suit of robin's egg blue. A mustache that was very young—a weakling in fact—was his chief concern when he came into the city. Caruso takes up his quarters at the Knickerbocker across from the Metropolitan, where he will warble.

He has been to his villa Bellegarda raising chickens. But he does not like this special kind of poultry. In fact they ruffled his nerves. Being plained by S. D. Eckhart.

temperamental is an awful thing. He drew pictures for the reporters, told them funny stories, but declined an invitation to go to an Italian restaurant near the pier and gargle spaghetti. When he eats spaghetti he wants lots of room.

Leo Munge, the ballplayer, and a party of friends stopped at a country hotel near New York the other night. They stepped into the parlor after registering and having dinner. One of them sat down at the piano and started to play. The proprietor appeared and looked worried.

"We just want to play and sing a few songs before we go to bed," explained Munge. The proprietor scratched his head. "Wal," he drawled at last, "I suppose it's all right so long as yer don't pass the hat."

There was a great commotion in a very exclusive downtown hotel the other afternoon. It seems that a gentleman from the West, all highly perfumed and no place to go, smiled at a very chic young woman sitting in the lobby. She flashed back a smile and soon they were sipping tea together in one of the tea rooms.

They were behind potted palms and evidently the tea affected them. All of a sudden the gentleman gave a blood-curdling yell. Attendants rushed toward them. "I've been robbed," he wailed. "This woman has touched me for my roll of \$600." And then he wept.

House detectives escorted the woman to a private office and female detectives searched her. They found the roll of bills in her golden tresses. No arrests.

Speakers In Madison

Mark A. Crawford, S. D. Eckhart and Frank W. Moulton delivered addresses before an enthusiastic Republican rally, held at the White Gravel school house, Madison township Tuesday evening. National and state issues were discussed by Mark Crawford and Frank Moulton. The affairs of the county were exact fact they ruffled his nerves. Being plained by S. D. Eckhart.



Injun Summer
The air is smoky like and sweet,
The sun jes' wraps you warm and nice,
On the country road or street
Jes' 'round jes' 'round jes' 'round
And burnin' leaves jes' add a spica.

Autumn leaves jes' blush ez red
And whisper secrets to us all;
Don't know 'zactly what is sed,
But it rumbles in your head,
Jes' keeps you guessin' 'till they fall.

Jes' somehow it makes you sad,
(I'm so grouchy or I'd cry)
After happiness you've had,
It's enough to make you mad,
When friend Summer says goodbye.
—William Winters, Portsmouth, O.

Good Prospects
Officer—And what are you going to do when you get there?
Emigrant—Take up land.
Officer—Much?
Emigrant—A shovelful at a time.—Tid-Bits.

Chance For Fame
A western man has invented a preparation for restoring old paintings. A preparation for restoring new umbrellas to their owners would be more popular.

Or Women Either
The age of reason depends altogether on the man; some men never attain it.

Tuning Up
Digh C is best attained by treading on a cat's tail.

Never Saw a Bun Dance
A teacher was explaining to her class the difference between a common noun and an abstract noun.

"An example of a common noun is 'cat,'" she said; "for you can see it, while you cannot see an abstract noun. Now, for example, have any of you ever seen 'abundance'?"

This query was received in profound silence. Then a little fellow got up and said, "No, ma'am, I have never seen a bun dance, but I've seen a cake walk."

Didn't Want Any Flies
"I wish to buy some ointment."
"Yes, madam."
"Will you open the jar?"
"Why, this is a sealed package, madam."
"I know. But I've often heard that there's a fly in the ointment, and I wish to make sure that there is none in what I buy."

Had Brown Freckles
A lady was entertaining her daughter's caller, who was just back from a summer outing. The conversation had been somewhat snatches, and finally she decided to try him on some of the new books.

"Have you read 'Freckles,' Mr. Johnson?" she ventured.
"No, ma'am," he stammered blushing, "mine are the brown kind."—The Christian Herald.

Parental Pride
"I understand, Mrs. Comeup, that your daughter made a fault pas at the cooking show."
"Yes, and I was told there wasn't nobody there who could make one like it."—Baltimore American.

Pretty Slow
Edith (sighing)—Oh, dear! You hasn't proposed yet.
Marie—Well, what can you expect of a chap who never runs his auto over 10 miles an hour?—Boston Transcript.

A Job For The Mail Found
A rural mail carrier found this note in one of the route boxes last week: "Dear Mail Man, please water the hogs and feed the calves. We've gone to the picnic. P. S.—Don't forget the canary and put out the cat."—Concordia Kansan.

Fond Develoted
"What, broke? Why, I thought you had a tidy sum laid away for a rainy day."
"So I did, but Great Scott! Look at all the rainy days we've had lately."—Boston Transcript.

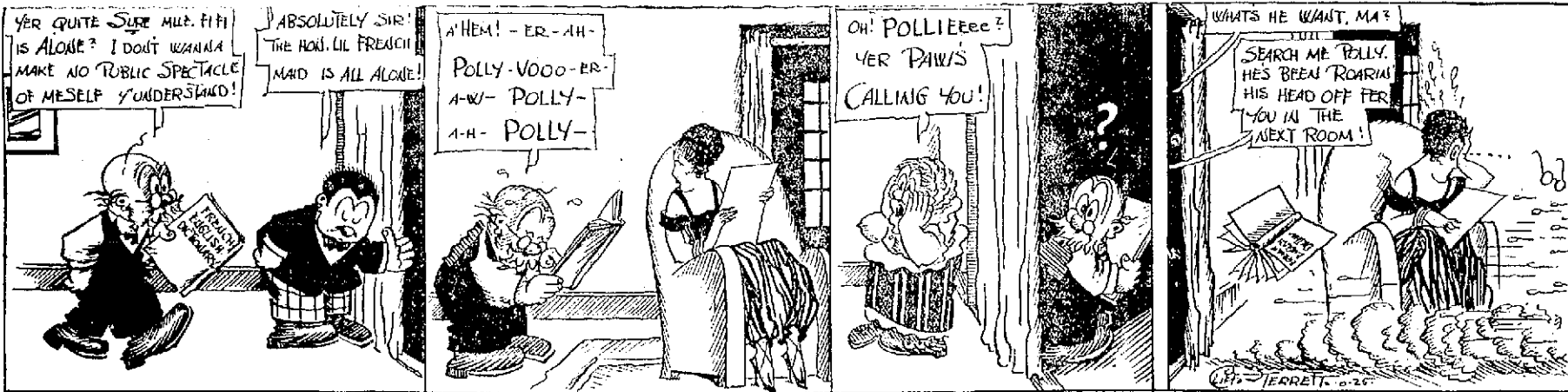
Good Man for the Place
The railway board had met to consider the case of old Tom Jones, who in a train accident had become deaf.
"Well," said a director, "old Tom has been with us a long time now, and we want to find him a new job. What do you suggest?"
"I know," said the chairman. "Let's put him in charge of the complaints department."—New York Telegraph.

Great Year For Farmer
Farmer Corning was asked whether he had had a good year.
"Gosh, yes!" he exclaimed. "I had four cows and three hogs killed by railway trains and two hogs and eleven chickens killed by automobiles. I cleared near a \$1,000."—Puck.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Pa's French Was Just One "Polly" After Another

By CLIFF STERRETT



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IRON GRIP OF TEUTONIC ALLIES ON RUMANIA IS TIGHTENED

Berlin, Oct. 24.—(Via London, Oct. 25).—The iron grip of the Central Powers upon Rumania has tightened in two important notches, with the capture of Medjidia and Raskova in Dobruja and of Predeal, on the Transylvania border. The conquests of these important places have been achieved with surprising speed.

Military men as usual refuse to prophesy as to other developments of the campaign against Rumania, but appear confident that all will come in due time.

With the capture of Constanza, the Rumanians lost their principal seaport, while the taking of Medjidia and Raskova now places Tchernavoda in a critical position and in military opinion here, threatens Rumania more than ever.

The capture of Predeal comes as a climax to the recent forcing of a number of important mountain passes from Transylvania into Rumania, so that the Central Powers appear to be nearly in a position to swoop down upon the Rumanian plains and attack the heart of the country.

Predeal and the passes behind it spell the loss to Rumania of its natural western fortifications formed by the mountains of Transylvania. Medjidia and Raskova, if they lead to the capture of Tchernavoda, denote with certainty and definiteness the removal of the artificial barriers to access into Rumania across its other natural fortification, the Danube river.

SUBWAY STATION WRECKED BY BOMB

New York, Oct. 25.—Explosion of a bomb or dynamite at the 110th street station of the Lenox Avenue subway line early today did considerable damage to that station, smashed the ticket agent's booth, injured the agent slightly, broke electric lamps and windows in the kiosks, tore off a portion of the sidewalk overhead and broke the windows in some of the apartment houses nearby. There was no train at the station or near it at the moment. Traffic in the subway was suspended for half an hour or more as the result of the blast.

Subway employees at that station said they saw no one loitering about and did not know how the explosive was brought into the station.

Anticipating: "My wife and myself had another foolish quarrel." "About what?" "About where we would go if we had money enough to travel."—Washington Herald.

UNCLE SAM'S MARINES ARE SLAIN IN FIGHT WITH DOMINICAN SOLDIERS

Santo Domingo, Oct. 25.—In an engagement between American troops and rebel followers yesterday General Ramon Batista was killed. Several Americans also are reported killed, including two officers and one American officer was wounded.

The names of the American officers killed are given as Captain William Lowe and Atwood. Lieutenant Morrison was wounded. The American commander attempted to arrest General Batista, who resisted and ordered an attack on the American forces. Fighting continued for a considerable time but the rebels were eventually defeated.

The engagement took place opposite Santo Domingo City and caused somewhat of a panic in the capital. Reinforcements were sent there to aid American troops in maintaining order.

A revolt occurred in the Dominican army several weeks ago but American marines and blue-jackets soon had control of the situation. They were reinforced with American troops from Port Au Prince, Haiti.

The available naval lists make no mention of Captain Atwood, who is reported as having been killed. Captain Lowe was attached to the First Brigade of Marines, stationed recently at Port Au Prince.

Lieutenant Victor I. Morrison is listed as attached to the First Brigade of Marines.

TEACHERS ASK FOR INCREASE

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 25.—Teachers in the Pittsburgh Public Schools, from the kindergarten to the high school departments, have asked the Board of Education of the city for an increase in salary from \$50 to \$700 a year. William M. Davidson, superintendent of schools, estimates the advance, if granted, will amount to \$300,776. The high cost of living is given as the reason for the request.

WEATHER

Ohio—Rain tonight, Thursday partly cloudy and somewhat colder.

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FORD GRANTS WOMEN EMPLOYES SAME WAGE SCALE AS THE MEN

New York, Oct. 25.—Henry Ford, the manufacturer and publisher, who conferred with President Wilson at Shadow Lawn yesterday afternoon authorized this statement after leaving the president: "I had the pleasure to inform President Wilson that I had established the woman workers of my plant at Detroit, and in the branch factories in other cities upon a pay equality with the men workers. I took this step following my conference with the president more than two weeks ago and I did so because of the inspiring talk I had with Mr. Wilson on the forward movement among womenkind. This principle is now in operation and I look forward with complete confidence to its vindication."

Mr. Ford pointed out that the eight hour work day already had been established in his factories for both men and women workers. He said that fifteen hundred women are now employed by him for the lighter forms of factory labor in his Detroit plant. These women since October 10 have been receiving the minimum wage of \$4 a day which created such a sensation in industrial quarters when Mr. Ford established it for his men employees several months ago.

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FRENCH ATTACK TOOK THE GERMANS BY SURPRISE; PROVES A GREAT VICTORY

Paris, Oct. 25.—The French attack at Verdun apparently took the Germans completely by surprise and not at one point did they succeed in stopping the impetuous rush. In three hours the French recaptured ground, to gain which required months of patient effort by the Germans, including such positions as Douaumont Fort and Thiaumont works which in the past were won and lost repeatedly.

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General Pétain regarded the front east of the Meuse as too cramped, and suggested to General Nivelle, the commander of Verdun, that he give himself more elbow room. With that end in view infantry was sent up to reinforce the French and artillery was ordered for the establishment of new batteries. The aviation department was commissioned to make an exhaustive survey of the positions of the German batteries and points of assembly. This work was carried out and the secret was kept so well that to all appearances the Germans never had an inkling of what was in prospect. Furthermore they evidently believed the energies of the French were being absorbed by the battle of the Somme and made no preparations to meet a thrust at Verdun. Thus it came about that what was intended for a small maneuver became a brilliant tactical success.

The attack was planned for ten days ago. Artillery began preliminary work but rainy weather set in and grand headquarters ordered a postponement. When the

LIGHTNING STROKE SCORES BIG VICTORY

[BULLETIN] Paris, Oct. 25.—The Germans made a counter attack north of Verdun last night in an effort to regain ground won by the French in yesterday's assault. They attempted to recapture the Haude-mont quarries and the Dambloup battery. The war office announces that in both cases they were repulsed.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Verdun, long lost sight of, sprang suddenly and unexpectedly today into the forefront of the public mind which exclusively had been directed towards the battle on the Somme front. The German front on the right bank of the Meuse literally was swept away for a distance of four and a half miles like straw before the wind.

General Nivelle for weeks past had been watching the German movements like a lynx, carefully calculating the effect of every withdrawal of troops for transfer to the Somme and eastern fronts. At the same time he quietly made his preparations and when he judged the Germans had thinned their defenses to the danger point, he struck like lightning. The result was one of the most brilliant operations of the campaign.

The Germans who yesterday were pressing close upon the inner line of defenses at Forts Souville and Tavannes have now been driven beyond the outer defenses of the Fort Douaumont-Vaux line. Vaux fort remains in possession of the Germans but the French line extends beyond it on the north at Vaux village and Cumin Wood and also on the

south of it at Dambloup battery and Chenois Wood from both of which positions it can readily be attacked.

The French artillery preparation was brief but intense and was over before the German commanders had time to bring up reinforcements, even if they were available. The assaulting French waves caught them before the Germans recovered from the surprise and swept over trench after trench sending prisoners in all directions to the rear.

French losses were very light, it is believed even lighter than any record in the attacks on the Somme front.

News of the success has caused tremendous public enthusiasm here and this is all the greater because of the general impression that Verdun was over and done with and that both sides were contenting themselves with holding what they had won. Today's operation, proving that the French could strike a smashing blow at Verdun while carrying on an extended offensive on the Somme has greatly increased public confidence and gone far to lessen the depression caused by the loss of Constanza.

London, Oct. 25.—Although the French communiqué announcing the recapture by the French of the fort of Douaumont and the Haude-mont and the smashing of the German line over a four and one-third mile front, north of Verdun, reached London too late for comment in the early editions, all the morning papers comment exultantly in special late editions. The Times says:

"This strike is a severe blow at German prestige and shows the German staff the danger of weakening its lines in the west. The victory will disquiet the enemy,

hearten the Russo-Rumanian army and inspire all the Allies with fresh confidence."

WANT WOMEN TO AID IN RECRUITING

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—The United States army authorities here have advertised for women to aid in securing enlistments for the United States army, it became known today. The advertisement, inserted by Lieut. Col. John H. Gardner, retired, who is in charge of the recruiting station here, called for "twelve girls for the United States."

The advertisement specified that they must be "attractive, intelligent and industrious"; held out the inducement that here was a chance to "make money and do your country a service," and concluded with the warning that "no triflers need apply."

Colonel Gardner's plan is to install an exhibit which will demonstrate the life of a soldier, from camp cooking to infantry drill. The women recruiting agents will work out of that station and will be paid \$1 for every recruit they obtain.

DANCING POPULAR IN CHICAGO SCHOOLS

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Dancing is the most popular form of entertainment at the social centers of the Chicago public school system, according to a report made public today by the board of education. Statistics for the last year show that the attendance at the dancing classes was 115,044. The gymnasium classes are next with a total of 68,449.

Seek a position through TIMES WANT ADS. Employers of labor read them carefully.

BRITISH PROMISE RELIEF

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—Representations to Great Britain in behalf of American tobacco shippers who have \$1,500,000 worth of leaf, consigned to the Scandinavian countries and Germany, tied up by British restrictions at Copenhagen, have resulted in action by the British government, which is expected to result in some relief.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

FINEST MASONIC NEWSPAPER EVER ISSUED

In honor of the Ohio Grand Lodge meeting of Free and Accepted Masons in Columbus Wednesday and Thursday, October 17 and 18, the Central Ohio Masons published a Grand Lodge number. It was gotten out under the direction of B. C. Schmitt, the publisher, and Frank B. Wilson supervised the advertising.

Masonically, it is without a doubt the most interesting publication ever published in the world. It is profusely illustrated with cuts and features, and was heartily indorsed by the Masonic business men of Columbus and other cities, and by their business representation of advertising. It contains 56 pages.

Michigan And Syracuse Clash On Saturday; Gridiron News

Yost Will Have Best Men In Game Saturday

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 25.—Lee cream for dinner yesterday was the reward that Trainer Harry Tuttle of the Wolverines bestowed upon his gridiron warriors in return for their fine work against the M. A. C. eleven. No doubt was ever received with more heartfelt gratitude. Yost, in the meantime, is again with satisfaction, but his tribute will come in the form of a week of hard work for Syracuse teams ahead.

Yost is convinced that the Syracuse team are going to present some line-men for Wilmont, Weske and Boyd to battle with that will far outshine the efforts of the "Aggies" forward wall. The three Wolverines named had their hands full Saturday, and for this reason they are going to get some careful instructions during the next few days.

Sharpe is scheduled to be back at right half for the Syracuse clash, and Trainer Tuttle will permit him to do some light work this week now that his double "charley horse" is causing him no serious worry. This will give Yost the most powerful set of ground gainers that he is able to collect. "Pat" Smith had no opportunity to do his customary ground gaining against M. A. C. but he performed the feat of making his knee behave for a full game on Ferry field, his first in his varsity career. This may mean that Yost will have his best men available during the entire game with the orangemen.

Big Scores Being Made

New York, Oct. 25.—With the football season reaching the halfway mark team scores and individual scores are mounting up rapidly, the totals for five and six games reaching large proportions in some cases. Among the larger institutions Vanderbilt leads with 208 points. Syracuse is second with 190 and Dartmouth and Pennsylvania follow tied in the third place, with 174 each.

Gerrish, the Dartmouth halfback, is the leading individual scorer, his nine touchdowns and sixteen goals aggregating 70 points. Mautsches, the plunging Michigan back field star, is second, having accumulated 51 points while McCright of Washington and Jefferson, is third with 42.

Class To Take Up Athletics

Over progressive, the Loyal Men's class of the First Christian bible school, have hit upon a popular scheme for the coming winter.

They propose to have something doing every Monday night of the year and will lay particular emphasis upon athletic sports, such as wrestling, boxing, and basketball. They met last Monday evening and the chief feature of their well enjoyed program was a wrestling bout between Asa Henderson, a wrestling coach at the University of Michigan, and Prof. Thompson, the former winner of the match in two out of three falls. The two gladiators expect to stage another bout in the church gym next Monday evening, while on the following Monday one of them will meet an "unknown." The bout was a pretty clever exhibition, Asa Henderson being a pupil of Charles Kieglar, the light-heavyweight champion wrestler of the world.

For one who desires to witness these exhibitions is cordially invited to attend them.

News From Wisconsin Camp

Madison, Wis., Oct. 25.—Reports that Eber Simpson's injuries sustained in the Wisconsin-Basket game, would prevent his playing right halfback in the Chicago contest here next Saturday, have been denied by his physician.

The doctor, upon careful examination, reported that Simpson merely developed a "charley horse" and that he is in good condition. All the other Wisconsin players came through Saturday's game without injury.

Thoroughly disgusted with the Badgers' performance in the Indian contest, Coach Withington intimated that there will probably be several changes in the lineup of the first team before the Maroon game. A decided weakness at right end was the greatest disappointment.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—For the first time in 11 years Chicago alumni will have the opportunity of cheering a football team from the University of Michigan without having to travel to Ann Arbor, when the Wolverine freshmen and the Princeton Academy eleven meet at Evanston a week from Saturday. A Michigan uniform has not been seen in or near Chicago since that 2 to 0 game on Marshall field in 1905.

Huntington Defeated

Ironton, Oct. 25.—Ironton's duck pin artists defeated a Huntington team of crack duck pin bowlers last night on the Central alleys by the narrow margin of 22 pins.

Attended Meeting

Drs. W. D. and O. R. Micklethwait, S. S. Halderman, J. D. Jordan, W. A. Quinn, A. R. Moore, O. D. Taitz and J. S. Rardin attended the council meeting of the Ohio State Medical Association in Columbus, Monday.

IRONTON—		
Byers	153	118
Rice	119	156
Hines	128	126
Hannon	100	120
Jelly	117	136
Totals	626	641

HUNTINGTON—		
Callaway	123	111
Schwach	98	95
Stewart	101	123
Strumfield	136	131
Hildegley	121	111
Totals	579	600

BOWLING

The following scores were made by players in the Crystal Palace League of the Crystal Palace alleys in the East End, Monday evening:

EXHIBITS—		
Doll	120	167
Smith	130	113
Hughes	128	136
Lowry	125	89
Carler	100	134
Totals	603	663

ELCOES—		
Chaffin	180	190
Wanless	162	150
Bruno	118	140
A. Putzke	95	117
Aldridge	175	138
Totals	710	735

PHONERS—		
Wilmont	163	141
Frick	166	178
Bertram	132	128
Hartlage	116	125
Reiter	125	127
Totals	702	700

FURNITURE FIVE—		
Belton	120	108
Lambert	129	178
Burkhardt	106	113
Bullock	136	127
Benjamin	185	182
Totals	677	708

Boy Scout Games

Three fast games were pulled off last night among the Scouts, with a record-breaking attendance. Judging from the week put up by the players last night, the Boy Scout league will be much faster this year than it was last.

EAST ENDERS FALL BEFORE TIGERS
The Tigers and East Enders, ancient rivals, met last night in their first basketball game of the season. The Tiger boys won out by the score of 18 to 11. The first half ended with the East Enders in the lead 5 to 4. In the last half Fortner's brilliant work brought the Tigers from behind and capped the game.

TIGERS		
Fortner	10	10
Edwards	10	10
Hopkins	10	10
Fortner	10	10
Vogner, Muller, R. G.	10	10
Totals	50	50

EAST END		
Dunn	10	10
Hamilton	10	10
Williams	10	10
Davis	10	10
Totals	40	40

EAGLES SOME GLASSY BUNCH
The Eagles, who occupied cellar all last season in the Boy Scout league, showed that they are of a different stripe this season. Judging from last night's game when they cleaned up on a fast All Star team 13 to 7, Blake and Moon featured with fast plays. The lineup:

EAGLES		
Blake	10	10
Evans	10	10
Reynolds	10	10
Knowles	10	10
Walker	10	10
Field Goals—Blake 3, Moon 2, Williams, Fortner, Muller, Foul Goals—Bellamy, Blake 2, Williams. Referee—Wagner.		

JUNIOR LEAGUES FAST
The Reds and Grays, two fast teams of the Junior league, put up a swell game Tuesday night at the First Presbyterian Gym, with the Grays winning out 13 to 11. Englebrecht was the speed boy for the winners and threw a field goal. The lineup:

GRAYS		
Mitchell	10	10
Evans	10	10
Englebrecht	10	10
Hopkins	10	10
Liming	10	10
Field Goals—Englebrecht 2, Hewitt 3, Englebrecht 4, Evans, Hopkins. Foul Goals—Reynolds, Hopkins, Referee—Wagner.		

WILL HAVE FOUR LEAGUES
With increased membership in the scouts as well as increased number of boys going out for basketball teams there will be not less than 4 leagues this season and probably close to a hundred boys were out last night at 2 gymnasiums trying out for scout teams. This will undoubtedly be the greatest basketball season the scouts have had. Most of the work will be under the supervision of H. W. Wagner. On next Tuesday the big game will be the one between the East End and the Eagles.

Will Play Series

Boston, Oct. 24.—The Boston Nationals and the New York Americans will prepare for next season's campaign in their respective league by a series of joint games in Alabama, Georgia and the Carolinas, Secretary Walter E. Hapgood of the local club announced today. The teams will train as usual at their spring camps, Boston at Miami, Florida, and New York at Macon, Ga. By the last of March, it is expected they will take the road together, playing six or eight games, each under the auspices of local boards of trade.

Perry Will Meet Saylor

Jack Perry, who recently fought Roy Click ten rounds in Bristol hall will get his chance Monday night in Columbus when he meets Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis. If Perry wins this fight he is going to New York and take on the topknockers.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 117

Giants Trim Ironsides, Bald Eagles Are Victors, Masonic League Opened

GAMES THIS WEEK
Thursday Evening—Submarines vs. Spiders, alleys 4 and 5.
Friday Evening—Ivory Knobs vs. Cement Specialists, alleys 2 and 3; Corn Shuckers vs. Rexalls, alleys 4 and 5.

With a whoop and a yell the Masonic Bowling League for 1916-17 opened the season at the Play House alleys last night, before a well filled and enthusiastic lobby. The old time spirit that has characterized this organization from its very inception was in evidence, the players being delighted at the chance to again match with skill and luck on the shining alleys. As a result of the evening's fun the Giant Killers, led by their new captain, Charles Deebler, wrapped the re-ramped Ironsides two out of three, with Charles Zoelner's Bald Eagles gave the Clod Hoppers a similar dose on alleys 4 and 5.

All the old time fire was in evidence and the games were hotly contested. Some of the players showed by their exhibition that time had dimmed their optics, a condition that will soon be overcome with a little practice. However, the best of fellowship prevailed and all present had one of the most enjoyable evenings of their lives.

Captain Deebler of the Giant Killers made a ten strike when he succeeded in wooing George Wilhelm into his camp. Originally Mr. Wilhelm was a Giant, but in an attempt to strengthen the Corn Shuckers last season he was hunted to them. Captain Sirtmaster of the Corn Shuckers, gladly consented to the transfer of Wilhelm to the Giants who now present a formidable front and who have visions of the pennant.

It would be cruel indeed to refer to some of the poor scores made last night, owing to the fact that some of the

GIANTS—		
Wilhelm	120	161
Lemon	150	119
Baker	128	159
Rickey	108	167
Sheridan	155	167
Dachler	175	185
Totals	665	782

IRONSIDES—		
Gordon	121	100
Moore	115	105
Conliffe	119	144
Mullart	127	111
Clare	170	147
Totals	670	616

BALD EAGLES—		
Shaw	141	121
Selby	125	88
Zoelner	150	113
Patton	151	132
Hark	120	130
Totals	687	604

CLOD HOPPERS—		
Jackson	120	134
Scudder	130	116
Wilhelm	134	140
McDoy	120	174
Leach	102	127
Totals	678	700

HORRORS, GIRLS PLAYING HOCKEY
Delaware, Oct. 25.—Girls at Ohio Wesleyan University are playing field hockey. Bruised shins and cool, crisp autumn weather have no terrors for the feminine folk who are attacking this newly introduced English sport. The student body saw the Yellow team trim the Reds by a 2 to 1 score recently.

Nancy K. Glavin of Xenia and Dorothy Fisher of London, were captains in this game which was a starter for what may develop into an intercollegiate sport for women in Ohio colleges.

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Levinsky Wins Fight

Boston, Oct. 25.—Batting Levinsky, of Bridgeport, Conn., claimed the light heavyweight championship of America last night after outpointing Jack Dillon of Indianapolis in a 12-round bout. The referee's decision was undisputed.

May Change The Prices

Now we hear a story that it will be the top price in the next week's sale. Set the players will never consent to a change in prices as those who are so fortunate as to sit in on the big sale certainly do not cop the kale.

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WHICH IS HER FRIEND?

Charles C. Kearns, candidate for congress, is getting the laugh for giving public utterance to the ash heap "argument" that if Wilson were re-elected the local steel mills would close down, when the war ended. Charlie overlooked the simple fact that men with a six million dollar plant would not be right now making a three million dollar addition thereto if the whole investment were imminently likely to be sent to pot in less than three months.

And that reminds us of a thing or two. Shortly after his election in a speech before the local board of trade, declared with much fervidness that he would support President Wilson in the ordeal he was going to pass through and that he would bend his every energy to serving this metropolis of the district in every way possible. As a matter of fact he has never found it patriotic to uphold the hands of the president in anything. His activity appears to have consisted in running away to some horse races in his district whenever a crisis in congress presented itself. For instance the Adamson eight hour bill, when he was away at Batavia, and was, if we recall right, the only Ohio congressman who ducked a vote on that matter so immediately vital to the trade and industry of the country. We can not see that he is serving this city in giving the sanction of his position to mere campaign talk that sets idle the second biggest industry of the city. That story has now traveled all over the country and is doing harm to Portsmouth.

In contrast with his course, his opponent, A. G. Turnipseed visited the city, spent a week therein. Expressions of amazement at its growth, pride that a place of such importance and prospective development was in his district, were constantly in his speech, private and public. Over the district, he has told what a wonderful industrial center she was and his belief that she was full-tilting to greatness.

With these facts before her Portsmouth ought not to have much struggle in determining which is her better friend.

THE METROPOLIS BETWEEN

Portsmouth is strongly and steadily marching on to her destined place as the metropolis on the Ohio, between Cincinnati and Pittsburgh. Some will doubt this, some will even deny it—Huntington for instance—but the written and official figures prove it. Resorting to them we find that the registration figures of 1916 show a gain of 798 over those of 1912, the figures for those years being 6,810 and 6,012 respectively. This shows the splendid growth percentage of 3.3 each year. But we should bear in mind that there has been a sloughing off in population, that is bound to come back before another census is taken. This temporary loss has come about in that hundreds of people have moved just outside the city to get a bit more room, but the sections in which they now reside is merely over-the-line expansion and are bound to be included in the corporate limits within a short time. Besides that New Boston, which is actually continuous and Sciotoville is a near suburb, will assuredly within a short time be admitted and these will not only add several thousand, but what is equally important, give room for expansion without that density of population that has ever heretofore characterized the city.

Taking into account these eventualities and the increased ratio of gain for the next four years, over the past six, that is bound to come with the vast enlargement of industries now under way, it appears not at all unreasonable to hold that the census of 1920 will show Portsmouth with a population in excess of 40,000.

Talking about weather, they must not have our kind everywhere. The Times received a car load of paper this week, and eight rolls were lost entirely through the rain running on them and causing them to burst. That may be designated as the cloud on the silver sky, for believe us paper is worth some money these days and we don't hear a hint of it stopping rising when the war ends.

Are they building any paved roads over on the west side? We haven't heard a solitary kick on it and that makes us fear the belief that they are is but a dream. For what would a paved road or any sort of road, for that matter, be without some indignant and outraged citizen filing objections to it.

No, who wouldn't be a farmer these days with wheat in the bin. The cereal jumped to two dollars a bushel in Chicago, Monday.

For modern needs of a modern citizen there should be a modern fire equipment. Efforts of council to supply that need are altogether commendable.

Same old signs of approaching winter, the gravel, mostly sand, spreading over the roads.

United States Steel Common passed preferred, Monday. And didn't we hear some one say something about other mills shutting down, if so and so and this and that happened, which it is going to?

With such weather, peace and local trade breaking all records there is no reason why the people of the Peerless should not be content, and they are.

RISKY BUSINESS



THE WORST IS THE BEST

In the week's perspective of trade and manufacturing, which is sent out every Sunday evening from New York, for publication on Monday, there occurs this sentence: "The worst of this condition is there seems no probability of relief in the near future." The condition referred to is that labor is so far below the demand that orders have to be refused because there is no possibility of increased production, the mills and factories being operated to full capacity with the force obtainable. There was little change to be noted from this to the week previous, the volume of transactions continuing as large as any in the past, with prices still tending upward, this latter feature being regarded as a reflection of the strong position of practically all producers and manufacturers. In fact, producers in many lines were so far short on ability to meet immediate requirements that it was useless to quote prices on future deliveries. In desperation a number of textile plants were scouring the South for colored labor but this promised scant relief.

The real moment of this report is that it comes out of New York, shortly preceding an election and from sources that are not friendly to the administration. Yet, there is no hint in it of dullness and disaster to follow the re-election of Wilson, or the ending of the war. It is the word of business men calmly taking measure of business conditions and setting them forth as they actually are. It is the best argument possible for the re-election of Wilson, this absolute freedom of business from alarm from what is at least better than even chance of taking place. For business is timid and we have seen it becoming affrighted in every previous election over nothing more apparently than the election itself. But it refuses so to become this year and goes on with a bigger and more buoyant stride than it has ever known.

The deadly auto appears to be becoming more deadly. What may we expect with the fulfillment of the manufacturers' estimate of five million new cars for next year?

The National Democratic committee asks that its apologies for not supplying the press with the names of all those distinguished Republicans and Progressives turning to Wilson. It says they are coming so thick and fast that it finds it unable to present a list of them all. If it will accept our apology for inability to make a note of all it does send we'll call it square and let it go at that.

We have an idea that Rumania begins to entertain the horrible suspicion that she spoke too quick and that there are fates worse even than that of Greece.

Less than two weeks now, but still the country goes right along diligently attending to its knitting.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Oct. 25—Many years ago when college professors were wondering whether they would have to resign so that they could pursue special courses to catch up with me, I met George F. Breen on a college campus. He was wearing a postage stamp cap and trousers that looked like a county balloon just about to be cut loose from its moorings.

As I remember it, the exact amount that it cost him was a half dollar. Afterward I lost track of him and made no special effort to find him—for, well a half dollar is a half dollar. The other afternoon I ran onto him on Fifth Avenue. Or rather he nearly ran across me in an automobile that looked like it had more cylinders than Mr. Carter has pills.

I had heard of him through the newspapers from time to time. He became associated with James O'Brien, the big broker, and in a few short years was taken into the firm. Now he is under 30 years of age and can if he wishes go down to Philadelphia on his week-ends and take a good laugh at the mint.

"New York," he says, "presents more opportunities for the young man than any other city, and I have tried many of them. I decided at the start that drinking and smoking were not necessary to my success and might be a barrier and so I eschewed them. I began working 15 and 16 hours a day. I was only a clerk, but my boss soon was attracted to me and kept promoting me until he took me into the firm."

"And by the way," he remarked. "Oh, yes," I cut in "about that half dollar. Here it is now."

He said he had forgotten all about it. That is the way with rich men. A half dollar means nothing in their lives. But he took it just the same.

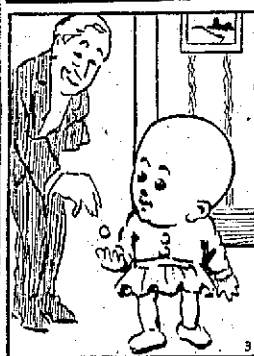
Enter Caruso, wearing a trimly cut business suit of robin's egg blue. A mistake that was very young—a weakling in fact—was his chief concern when he came into the city. Caruso takes up his quarters at the Knickerbocker across from the Metropolitan, where he will warble.

He has been to his villa Bolognara raising chickens. But he does not like this special kind of poultry. In fact they ruffled his nerves. Being

Speakers in Madison

Mark A. Crawford, S. D. Eckhart and Frank W. Moulton delivered addresses before an enthusiastic Republican rally, held at the White Gravel school house, Madison township Tuesday evening. National and state issues were discussed by Mark Crawford and Frank Moulton. The affairs of the county were explained by S. D. Eckhart.

Koot-Poots



(By J. F. D. and Shonk)
We know a girl, they call her Ruth. She had a great big, long, sweet tooth. She was always asking for a penny. But of course none ever gave her any. A Koot Poot never asks for money. But always gets it—now isn't that funny? Copyright Applied for by Times Pub. Co.

Pouring Concrete.

Contractor L. E. Sturm put a force of men to work Tuesday pouring concrete base for paving between the street car tracks laid on the viaduct. It will take a few days to pour the concrete. No definite plan has been decided upon for the joining of the tracks on the viaduct to the main line trucks on Gallia street.

Twice a Month.

During the winter months the Ministerial Association of this city will meet the first and third Monday of each month instead of the first Monday, the change being made yesterday at a meeting of the association.

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Injun Summer

The air is smoky like and sweet, The sun jes' wraps you warm and nice, On the country road or street Jes' plain walkin' is a treat And burnin' leaves jes' add a spice.

Autumn leaves jes' blush er red And whisper secrets to us all, Don't know 'actly what is sed, But it rumbles in your head, Jes' keeps you guessin' 'till they fall.

Jes' somehow it makes you sad, (I'm so grouchy er I'd cry) After happiness you've had, It's enough to make you mad, When friend Summer says goodbye. —William Winters, Portsmouth, O.

Good Prospects

Officer—And what are you going to do when you get there? Ensign—Take up land. Officer—Much? Ensign—A shovelful at a time.—Tid-Bits.

Chance For Fame

A western man has invented a preparation for restoring old paintings. A preparation for restoring new umbrellas for their owners would be more popular.

Or Women Either

The age of reason depends altogether on the man; some men never attain it.

Tuning Up

High C is best attained by treading on a cat's tail.

Never Saw a Bun Dance

A teacher was explaining to her class the difference between a common noun and an abstract noun.

"An example of a common noun is 'cat,'" she said, "for you can see it, while you cannot see an abstract noun. Now, for example, have any of you ever seen 'abundance'?"

This query was received in profound silence. Then a little fellow got up and said, "No, ma'am, I have never seen a bun dance, but I've seen a cake walk."

Didn't Want Any Flies

"I wish to buy some ointment," "Yes, madam," "Will you open the jar?" "Why, this is a sealed package, madam."

"I know. But I've often heard that there's a fly in the ointment, and I wish to make sure that there is none in what I buy."

Had Brown Freckles

A lady was entertaining her daughter's caller, who was just back from a summer outing. The conversation had been somewhat spasmodic, and finally she decided to try him on some of the new books.

"Have you read 'Freckles,' Mr. Johnson?" she ventured. "No, ma'am," he stammered blushing, "mine are the brown kind."—The Christian Herald.

Parental Pride

"I understand, Mrs. Concup, that your daughter made a faux pas at the cooking show."

"Yes, and I was told there wasn't nobody there who could make one like it."—Baltimore American.

Pretty Blow

Edith (sighing)—Oh, dear! Tom hasn't proposed yet.

Marie—Well, what can you expect of a chap who never runs his auto over 10 miles an hour?—Boston Transcript.

A Job For The Mail Man

A rural mail carrier found this note in one of the route boxes last week: "Dear Mail Man, please water the hogs and feed the calves. We've gone to the picnic. P. S.—Don't forget the canary and put out the cat."—Concordia Kansan.

Fund Depleted

"What, broke? Why, I thought you had a tidy sum laid away for a rainy day."

"So I did; but Great Scott! Look at all the rainy days we've had lately."—Boston Transcript.

Good Man for the Place

The railway board had met to consider the case of old Tom Jones, who in a train accident had become deaf.

"Well," said a director, "old Tom has been with us a long time now, and we want to find him a new job. What do you suggest?"

"I know," said the chairman. "Let's put him in charge of the complaints department."—New York Telegraph.

Great Year For Farmer

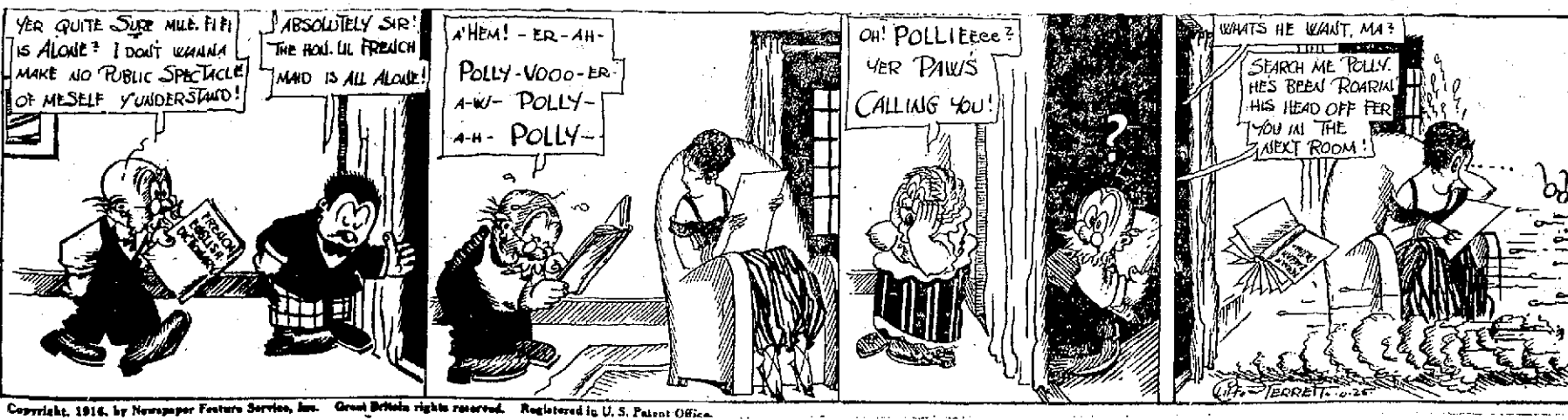
Farmer Corning was asked whether he had had a good year.

"Goah, yes!" he exclaimed. "I had four cows and three hogs killed by railway trains and two hogs and eleven chickens killed by automobiles. I cleared near a \$1,000."—Puck.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Pa's French Was Just One "Polly" After Another

By CLIFF STERRETT



WANT BIG CROWD ON THE G. O. P. COLUMBUS SPECIAL

The Soloto County Republican Executive Committee is making final preparations for the special train, which they will operate over the Norfolk and Western railway to Columbus Monday afternoon. Between one and three hundred local Republicans are expected to make the trip to the Capital City where they will take part in the mammoth torchlight parade in honor of Hon. Charles E. Hughes, Re-

publican candidate for president and will later attend the address, which is to be delivered by Mr. Hughes at Memorial Hall, Broad street. Delegations of Republicans from every county in the state are expected to attend this huge demonstration, which will probably be the last of the campaign in Ohio. The time for the special to leave the city has not been decided upon but John F. Eck-

hart, chairman of the executive committee, stated Wednesday that it would either be 2 or 3 o'clock. All Republicans expecting to make the trip are asked to either call headquarters, Phone 917, or notify any of the members of the executive committee. The River City band has been engaged to make the trip with the local delegation.

Meets Aunt For First Time In Thirty Years

C. A. Crabtree, well known real estate man of this city, had the extreme pleasure Sunday of meeting his aunt, Mrs. Belle Bowman, of Mabees Corner, whom he had not seen since he was 18 months of age, and he is well beyond his thirtieth milestone now. Mr. Crabtree, who is an enthusiastic motorist, learned that his aunt was residing at Mabees Corner and he notified her that he would call

to see her. In company with his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munn, the trip was made Sunday, the party first calling on Mrs. Peter Gilliland, of Shady Lane, where a sumptuous dinner was had. Needless to add that the meeting between Mrs. Bowman and her nephew was a most enjoyable one, and the day will ever linger in the memory of both Mrs. Bowman and Mr. Crabtree.

WEST SIDE COLORED MAN MARRIED TO WHITE WOMAN

With East End Firm

Squire James Piatt, of Buena Vista, is in the city on a visit, having been here since last Friday night when he attended the big Republican rally at Distel's hall. Squire Piatt, when seen by a Times man, confirmed reports that Cora Gilkerson, a white woman, of Pond Run, had married Harrison Pilsen, colored, on a compromise of a statutory charge she had preferred against him in his court, Tuesday. Pilsen and the woman were accompanied by Constable Andy Sissel to Vanceburg, Ky., where they obtained a license and were married the same day. Pilsen had been doing some work on the road near the Al Turner farm for the county when arrested. He is a son of Henry Pilsen, who for years carried the mails between Portsmouth and Pond Run and who was stricken with paralysis a year ago. The woman is now living at the Pilsen home. She is the divorced wife of a teamster who is employed with a Portsmouth contractor. At the court house in Vanceburg it was stated in answer to an inquiry from The Times that both the man and woman were white.

Paul Heberlin, who for some time has been employed as clerk at the N. & W. terminals, has resigned his position and accepted a place as head salesman in the men's furnishings department at the L. F. Lempe Co. store on Gallia street. Mr. Heberlin is one of the city's most popular young men and will make Mr. Lempe a most excellent salesman.

Coal Dealer Frankly Urges The Use Of Gas

The unusual spectacle of a coal dealer advising his friends, or particularly ordinary people accustomed to burning coal, to put in gas, presented itself Tuesday. John P. Flannigan is the man who is to the front with such advice. "You can say for me," said he Tuesday, "that this coal proposition is already serious. I realize that it is against my own interests, but I am free to say I don't want many of my customers who for years depended upon me for a supply to do so this winter. Why I'm not making as much money now as when coal was cheap."

Going Into Transfer Business

Lawrence Flannigan, who was superintendent of the city street cleaning department during the Erie administration, has decided to embark in the transfer business. Mr. Flannigan expects to begin business about Thursday. He will do general hauling and moving of household goods and also crate and ship household effects to all points. He is thoroughly equipped and experienced for the work having spent seventeen years in the service of his brother, John F. Flannigan in the same kind of business. He will maintain an office at his home, 810 Grimes avenue, and the business will be carried on under the name of the Blue Ribbon Transfer company.

OFFICERS LEAD OWLS' CONTEST

At the weekly session of the Owls, Monday, the officers' side of the membership campaign was reported still in the lead. A class of 20 candidates will be initiated in two weeks. Literature from the grand lodge pertaining to membership campaigns was distributed at Monday night's session.

Rooms Engaged Before The Building Is Erected

H. A. Bierley, a local real estate dealer, is the first person to engage rooms in the new Security bank building to go up on Gallia street. Meeting Mr. George D. Selby at the site of the new building Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Bierley said: "Mr. Selby, I want you to save me two nice rooms on the Sixth street side of your bank building."

NO NIGHT SCHOOL

Night high school in Portsmouth is a thing of the past. The enrollment in the various branches was so light that the first sessions scheduled for Tuesday night were called off. "I guess they do not want night school here so we have abandoned plans along this line," Supt. Frank Appel stated Wednesday.

Dynamite Dropped

Draymen and everybody about the N. & W. freight depot at Gallia and Lincoln streets were given the scare of their lives when one of the freight husters carelessly dropped a box of dynamite Monday morning. The box fell from his shoulder but while it burst open the dynamite inside failed to explode. The box fell alongside a car containing fully two tons of dynamite. Had an explosion occurred there is no telling what the result might have been. The freight huster was promptly discharged for his recklessness, it being a strict rule of the company not to carry explosives in the manner he had.

Rally On Bear Creek

Judge A. T. Holcomb and Attorney E. G. Mullar will address a Republican rally at Taylor's store, Bear Creek, Wednesday evening.

Ollie James In Ashland

United States Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, who may be heard in the local campaign, will deliver a political address in Ashland tonight.

So Long Ironton, Darkness On Way

Ironton, Oct. 25.—It is very likely that tonight will see Ironton in complete darkness. No funds have been provided to pay for the cost of street lighting, and Director of Service John Ridge-

Hearing Of Alleged "Hide" Robbers Set For Thursday

Taylor Ferguson, Maurice "Butch" Bertram, John and Pearl Seth, four of the suspects in the N. & W. "hide" robbery, were arraigned in police court Wednesday morning. All four pleaded not guilty to charges of stealing \$500 worth of hides from the company. Just as Mayor H. H. Kaps proceeded to question the defendants Attorney Frank Moulton on behalf of the Seth brothers told the court that they were not there to give any evidence. "Then you waive examination!" asked the mayor. "No we are not waiving examination but asking for a hearing," replied he. The mayor then set their hearings for Wednesday afternoon, later changing the time to Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The appearance bonds were fixed at \$500 each. John Hammock, who was also arrested in connection with the hide robbery was practically unable to appear and so his time of arraignment and hearing was continued until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Drs. J. E. Rogers and W. E. Gault, who are attending him, after visiting him in the female ward upstairs, which he has been occupying since the night of the arrest, reported to

To Launch State-Wide Bible Class Movement In Chillicothe

Chillicothe, Oct. 23.—All is ready for the launching of the state-wide Bible class movement. The program for the meeting of Southern Ohio Bible Classmen here Nov. 10, at which the movement will be formally inaugurated, is arranged. The meeting will be held at Walnut Street Methodist Episcopal church. The program is one of the biggest of its kind ever held in Ohio. W. C. Pearce, of Chicago, Dr. J. A. Bennett, of Sistersville, W. Vn., and Bishop W. F. Anderson, three of the biggest men in the nation's Bible class work, will be present. A. T. Arnold, general secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association, will be chairman of the meeting. All delegates and visitors to the meeting, arriving in the city not later than 10:30 a. m. will be entertained with a drive about the city by the Chillicothe Motor Club and a trip through the Mead Pulp & Paper Co. plant. The meeting opens at 1:30 p. m. with an organ recital by W. Andrew McNeill. After a quartette selection, Rev. J. C. Jackson, Methodist district superintendent, will deliver the invocation and Wilby G. Hyde will follow with an address of welcome. Dr. Pearce and Dr. Bennett will give addresses. Following the business session, there will be an intermission for dinner for delegates only at the Warner hotel. Dinner is given by the adult Bible classmen of Ross county. At the evening meeting, beginning at 7:30, there will be addresses by Dr. Pearce and Bishop Anderson.

Arrange Program For Installation

Following is the order of service for the installation of the Rev. M. S. Bush, M. A., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, October 26, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock, by the Presbytery of Portsmouth, the Rev. D. Nicholson, Moderator Presbytery, presiding: Organ Prelude. Presbytery constituted by the Moderator. Tylan. Scripture—Rev. B. B. Cartwright, of the Central Presbyterian church, Portsmouth, O. Prayer—Rev. S. D. Conger, Portsmouth, Ohio. Male Quartette. Sermon—Rev. W. H. Christian, Georgetown, Ohio. Constitutional questions, official installation and installation prayer—Rev. D. Nicholson, Moderator Presbytery, Seaman, Ohio. Male Quartette. Charge to the pastor—Rev. George P. Horst, D. D. Second church, Portsmouth, Ohio. Charge to the people—Rev. E. B. Townsend, Ironton, Ohio. Burning the mortgage of the final indebtedness on the church and Bible school building—Mr. Lucien M. Day, President Board of Trustees. Doxology. Benediction—Rev. M. S. Bush.

PROF. SHILLING TO BE IN CHARGE

Prof. Shilling of the Portsmouth high school has been engaged to take charge of the boys' work in the Second Presbyterian gym this winter. Gynnasium classes for Day Scouts and younger boys will be organized. All boys interested should report in the gym Tuesday evening, October 31, at 7 o'clock sharp.

NECK SORE FROM "RUBBERING"

Charlie Bennett, of the post-office force, who is up in Columbus on a vacation trip, hobnobbing with Governor Willis and others of the "bear great," writes a Times man that he is enjoying every minute of his stay, although he complains of a sore neck—strained in trying to see the top of the tall buildings up above "pecking" at the striped sparrow below, presumably. Charlie will be back about Nov. 1.

Earl Blair Married

It became known Tuesday that Earl Blair and Miss Edna Callender, of this city, were married at Ironton, October 11. The young couple were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Ross, a Methodist minister. They expect to spend the winter at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Callender, of 629 Third street. Mr. Blair is manager of the Reliable Tire and Vulcanizing company of Gay street. His bride was employed in the office of the Excelsior Shoe company.

Plan To Strengthen Men's Bible Class

What is expected to be one of the most inspiring Sunday school meetings ever held in Portsmouth, is booked at the First Christian church Friday evening of this week, when a plan will be formulated for the strengthening of the men's Bible classes in the Peerless City. The meeting is the outgrowth of a schedule that was launched at a session held at that church several months ago, when the men's class was addressed by John McMillan, at that time president of the Trinity Bible class of men. At that time a committee was named to formulate a plan whereby more men of the city could be interested in Sunday school work. The plan formulated is to begin a contest between the men and the elements that keep them out of Bible school. Some time ago the records showed that upwards of 1500 men were regular attendants at Bible school, while the records now show that the number has dropped to 1000. It is hoped to discover the reason and then plan the work accordingly. Every teacher, officer, superintendent—in fact every member of every man's class in the city, is cordially invited to attend the meeting Friday night, which will be called to order promptly at 7:30. Come with a suggestion, bring along your enthusiasm and make this one of the best meetings of its kind ever held in the city. A permanent organization will be effected at the meeting, and it is planned to begin a campaign that will live up to the situation and result in more than 2000 men in the Bible school every first day of the week. (Signed) COMMITTEE.

C. & O. HAS LOWEST FREIGHT RATE IN WORLD

Richmond, Va., Oct. 20.—The railway company from transportation operations upon its investment in road and equipment for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1916, contains information that this company has the lowest freight rate per ton per mile in the world. That rate in the year ended June 30th last was 3.80 mills; in other words, on the average a ton of freight was carried more than 5 1/4 miles for the price of a two cent stamp or nearly two more miles than on all the other eastern trunk lines, with possibly one exception. The average freight rate per ton per mile decreased from 3.84 mills in 1915 to 3.80 mills in 1916 or 1%.

Upon the authority of the Railway Age Gazette, it is stated that the C. & O. also enjoys the unique distinction of being the only railway in the United States operating more than two thousand miles of road which has an average train load of more than one thousand tons. During the last year the average revenue train load was 1,003 tons. This is taken to be an indication of high operating efficiency. The total tonnage of all freight carried in 1916 was 37,620,000, an increase over 1915 of 7,571,000 tons. Coal and coke carried in 1916 was 26,980,000 tons, as compared with 21,320,000 tons in 1915. The gross operating revenues for the fiscal year were \$48,239,000, an increase of \$8,775,000. Of this amount \$39,080,000 was earned from freight transportation, and \$9,160,000 from passenger, mail, express and miscellaneous, making a total of \$48,239,000. Passenger traffic proper earned \$7,995,000, being an increase of \$302,000 over 1915. Operating expenses were \$31,789,000, an increase of \$4,233,000. Net operating revenue was \$16,450,000, an increase of \$4,542,000. Taxes were \$1,587,000, an increase of \$238,000. Allowings for miscellaneous income, rentals and other payments, the income for the year available for interest was \$15,056,000. Interest amounted to \$8,176,000, leaving the net income for the year \$6,879,000, an increase of \$4,216,000 over the preceding year. The amount of return to the

Mrs. Lena Kah New President

At the semi-monthly meeting of River City Grove, W. O. W. Circle Tuesday evening, Mrs. Lena Kah was elected manager in the place of Mrs. Sarah Timberlake, who has moved to Cincinnati. Mrs. Kah will fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Timberlake.

What's in a Name. The victim of an accident glanced thoughtfully at the caller's card. "I guess you're what they call an ambulance chaser, ain't you?" demanded the injured one. "That's rather a harsh name, old man," replied the lawyer blandly. "Why not call me a settlement worker?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Takes Job Here

Clarence Gesswein, who for several years has been employed as salesman for the A. J. Brumberg Clothing Co. of Ironton, has accepted a similar position with Edelson Bros., formerly known as the New Idea Clothing Co., 306 Chillicothe street. Mr. Gesswein comes highly recommended as a finished clothing man and will no doubt make Mr. Hammel, manager of the company, a splendid man.

Pensions Granted

Among latest persons to whom pensions have been granted at Washington, D. C., are Rebecca Bishop, of Buena Vista; Sarah Lang and Mary M. Allison, of Manchester; Mary J. Shively, of West Union; Margaret E. James, of Ironton; Mary E. Young, Mt. Olive, Ky.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain, 12th

REALTY DEALS

William J. B. Moore, guardian, to Dora J. Copelan, lot 325, Yorktown addition, New Boston, \$1325. Trustees of the Ohio State University to William Yeager, 111.2 acres, Nile township, 82. William Breeding to William C. Jones et al, 77 acres, Green township, \$700. Margaret E. Busen to Myrta E. Tyle, lot 62 and west 10 feet lot 63, Buch-Snyder addition, \$1. F. M. and Linnie Stewart to Sophia Yeler, lot 48, Linwood addition, Porter township, \$400. J. J. and Mary A. Rarden to James Boren, lot 75, Board of Trade addition, \$1. C. J. Moulton to The C. J. Moulton Company, part lot 29, village of Lucasville.

Visitor To City

H. C. Baker, of Circleville, a representative of the Ohio Industrial Commission, was a business visitor to Portsmouth Tuesday.

To Give Minstrel

Monday's Ohio State Journal said: "Minstrelsy by Columbus men and staged, not by out-of-town producers but by home producers, is promised for Oct. 30 and 31, when Columbus Lodge No. 11, Loyal Order of Moose, will offer their minstrel show at the Hartman Theater. The show, in which 50 local men will take part, will be produced by George J. and Charles C. Sank and Steve Berrian." The Sank boys and Mr. Berrian recently put on a minstrel here for the Geeks.

WITH THE SICK

Col. John M. Higgins, of Seventh street, is very ill with humbug.

OBITUARY

L. G. Vance. L. G. Vance, aged 70 years, a farmer of Ladd, Pike county, O., died at Hempstead Hospital Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock of uremia, for which he was operated upon there a month ago.